

Recorded Statement: Tavaris Kincade
Offense: Attempted 1st Degree Murder
Event #: 2011-24393
Event Location: 2200 Crystal Grove
Interview Conducted by: Det. Russell Hurley

DET. GRICE: They still got them on ya?

DET. HURLEY: I thought they took 'em off

DET. GRICE: I ain't got my key with me, you got one?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah I got one.

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-mumbling).

DET. GRICE: Sorry about that man, I didn't know
they were still on you.

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-mumbling).

DET. HURLEY: I'm gonna move your jacket over here, if
that's all right with ya, okay?

(inaudible-movement)...

DET. HURLEY: I don't want you to be looking through
your jacket when I'm talking to you, okay?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Well naw, it's just my phone, that's the
only thing..

DET. HURLEY: Well... well... you got a phone in there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

(inaudible-movement)...

DET. HURLEY: Okay. All right. Tavaris Kincade, is that right?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: How do you spell your first name?

TAVARIS KINCADE: T-A-V-A-R-I-S.

DET. HURLEY: V-A-R?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I-S.

DET. HURLEY: I-S. And your last name is K-I-N-C-A-D-E?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response).

DET. HURLEY: And what's your date of birth, Tavaris?

TAVARIS KINCADE: 12/14/93.

DET. HURLEY: And where do you live at?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I don't know the current address, but where my mom stay on 98 North. That's the address I gave them when we was out there...

DET. HURLEY: What'd you... what's that address?

TAVARIS KINCADE: 98 North, and all I know is the apartment call Madison.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. Uh...

TAVARIS KINCADE: Apartment 216.

DET. HURLEY: I know it. It's 5233 North Road 98. And which apartment?

TAVARIS KINCADE: 216.

DET. HURLEY: 216? So that's gonna be that first building on the right when you come in, right?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: What's your mom's name, if you don't mind me asking?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Stephanie Pinkett.

DET. HURLEY: Stephanie Pinkett. Um... I'm just wondering if I just talked to her out there. Think it was 218, actually that I went to, though, not 216. And her name wasn't Stephanie Pinkett, but I think Stephanie might've been one of the witnesses when the officer got in that shooting up there, awhile back.

TAVARIS KINCADE: I know her boyfriend say he... he seen it. He probably was talking..

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, well we talked to a bunch of people up there. Anyway, what's your cell number?

TAVARIS KINCADE:

[REDACTED]

DET. HURLEY:
your mom currently?

Okay. You... so you're not living with

TAVARIS KINCADE:

No, I stay with my girlfried.

DET. HURLEY:
Emma's house?

Your girlfriend? So you staying at

TAVARIS KINCADE:

(no audible response)

DET. HURLEY:

So, that's 804 West 7th Street. I believe
it's apartment A18, is that right?

TAVARIS KINCADE:

(no audible response)

DET. HURLEY:

Okay. Um... since you're here at the
police station, we gotta read you your rights. Okay?

TAVARIS KINCADE:

(no audible response)

DET. HURLEY:

Can you read okay?

TAVARIS KINCADE:

Yes sir.

DET. HURLEY:

What was the last... what was the
highest grade you did in school?

TAVARIS KINCADE:

Ninth.

DET. HURLEY:

Ninth? But you can read and write
okay?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Still didn't finish it though... yes sir.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, good. Kay, you read along with me, okay? You have the right to remain silent. Do you understand that?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes sir.

DET. HURLEY: Anything you say can and will be used against you in the court of law, do you understand that?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes sir.

DET. HURLEY: You have a right to talk to a lawyer and have the lawyer present with you while you're being questioned, do you understand that?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes sir.

DET. HURLEY: If you cannot afford to hire a lawyer one will be appointed to you to represent you before any questioning if you wish. Do you understand that?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes sir.

DET. HURLEY: You can... you can decide to exercise these rights and not answer any questions or make any statements. Do you understand that?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible)

DET. HURLEY: If you would, initial one through five saying I read those to ya. Okay, could you read this to me, please?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes.

DET. HURLEY: Yes, out loud.

TAVARIS KINCADE: "Do you understand these rights I have explained to you?" Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: Do you understand 'em? Then could you circle yes for me, please?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: And then, "I understand my rights," and sign right there, please.

(long pause)...

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-mumbling).

(inaudible-multiple speakers)

TAVARIS KINCADE: T-A-V-A-R-I-S.

DET. HURLEY: V-A-R...

TAVARIS KINCADE: I-S.

DET. HURLEY: All right. I'm glad you corrected me on that.

(inaudible-movement)...

DET. GRICE: Is it K-I-N-C-A-I-D or D-E?

TAVARIS KINCADE: D-E. It's... well it's spelled two different ways...

DET. GRICE: Okay, I seen that you had it both ways. I was just seeing which one's right.

TAVARIS KINCADE: But I think the gov... the government one is C-A-D-E.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

DET. HURLEY: Do you have any questions about your rights?

TAVARIS KINCADE: No sir.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. I understand you were in the park tonight when somebody, that was in your group, not necessarily with you, did something he wasn't supposed to do.

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes sir.

DET. HURLEY: Can you tell us about that? First, let's start off. I understand you were with your partner there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes sir. Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: At... at your house there? And then some bud...some guys picked you up?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes sir.

DET. HURLEY: So let's start... you were hanging out with him and what happened?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Hanging out with them. And all I know we road off. We dropped two people off. Just Mario and Quez. So, now it's like other people in the car saying, "Well what we fittin' to do now? What we fittin' to do now?"

DET. GRICE: Mario and who?

DET. HURLEY: Quez.

TAVARIS KINCADE: Quez.

DET. GRICE: Quez, okay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: So right when... right when we dropped them off, we left. And then they was saying, "Well let's go to Crystal Grove." You know, it's Christmas break everybody just trying to have fun. So, the boy who y'all stressin' who shot the policeman. I don't even know him like that. All I know is he go by the name of Kyle, cause I kept hearin' 'em sayin', Kyle this, Kyle that.

DET. HURLEY: So you...

TAVARIS KINCADE: But I don't even know him.

DET. HURLEY: So you just met him today?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I just met him today.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, how 'bout the other people in the car?

TAVARIS KINCADE: The other people...

DET. HURLEY: Who was driver the car?

TAVARIS KINCADE: The other people I know... I heard of them once. I seen him once before I even uh... I seen him only one time before...

DET. HURLEY: Okay, what... what's his name?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Domino.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, so Domino was driving the car?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: And what kind of car was it?

TAVARIS KINCADE: It was a Impala, and it was like a dark color. I don't know if it was black or if it was blue. It was a dark color.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. And who all was in the car with you guys?

TAVARIS KINCADE: At that... at the time when we got dropped off (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: Uh... start off with Mario, Quez, you...

TAVARIS KINCADE: It was me, Mario, Quez, uh... me, Mario, Quez, the boy Domino was driving. Vontay... Davontay. Uh... the one boy who is... what his name, Kyle? Him. And... who else was in there... George. Boy name George.

DET. HURLEY: George.

TAVARIS KINCADE: And... I know they call him Doobie.

DET. BOWDEN: Doobie. And... is that it?

TAVARIS KINCADE: That's it.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. And... and where'd you guy drop Quez and Mario off at?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Think it was Bonnie Apartments.

DET. HURLEY: Lake Bonnie Apartments?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Mmm-hmm.

DET. HURLEY: Was it Lake Bonnie or was it... was it the apartments across from Domino... I mean uh...

TAVARIS KINCADE: Think it's Dunkin' Donut.

DET. HURLEY: The apartments... so Windover Apartments? Well, there's two sets of apartments back there.

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah, it's two sets.

DET. HURLEY: And, so you drop them off at the those apartments; drop 'em off at the entrance there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. So let's say Windover, 'cause that first apartments is a set of Windover. So you drop them off at Windover Apartments?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: And then what happened?

TAVARIS KINCADE: We turn around and left out. Remember what I was telling you we was talking about seeing where we was going, 'cause Christmas break is going on...

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

TAVARIS KINCADE: ...but I didn't have nothin' to do. So, we was like, "Well, let's go to Crystal Grove," 'cause we know people out there. Well, I know people out there. And uh... and I was like, "Well, let's go out there," then they went out there. So we got out... the driver stayed in the car. He left us.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, so he dropped off um... you, Kyle, George, and Doobie?

TAVARIS KINCADE: And Vontay.

DET. HURLEY: And Vontay?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes, and Vontay.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. Was there anybody else out at the park?

TAVARIS KINCADE: There was nobody else.

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: And we was there, so we already see this policeman ride around. Okay? So, this how it went down. He

went to saying, "Oh, fuck that. Police out here. We might as well leave now." Well, that's when we was talking about we might as well leave out the park, 'cause we know he gonna come. So, we were still standing out there. So, (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: What... what are you close to when you're out in the park? What...

DET. HURLEY: Yeah what...

DET. GRICE: ...what area?

TAVARIS KINCADE: What... what we was close?

DET. GRICE: Yeah, what's... what's there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: We was by... like, the park, the actual park.

DET. GRICE: Uh-huh.

TAVARIS KINCADE: Like the slide and all that. (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: Okay, where you s... you can climb up to the slide and all that stuff...

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah, (inaudible).

DET. GRICE: ...so you're right there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: The actual park.

DET. GRICE: And everybody's together?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Actual park, so...

DET. GRICE: Kay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: ...everybody together, so... all I know is the police riding around circling the neighborhood, so I'm saying, "It must've been a lot of uh... robberies going on around here, for the police to be riding around like that." So, they were saying, "Well, naw Crystal Grove mild this and that, Crystal Grove mild." That's what everybody was saying. So, next thing you know, I guess, he wanted to see what we was doing. He... he stopped the car like halfway. And then he got out and he walked up to the open gate, to the entrance.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible). So he ask us, he was like... he was like, "What y'all doing out here?" No, he was like, "Have y'all seen any funny stuff going on 'round here?" So, we was like, "Naw." He was like, "Y'all seen anybody 'round here doing crazy stuff and crazy things?" or somethin' like that, and we was like, "Naw," once again. Then he was like, "Well may I ask y'all, do y'all have anything on y'all?" He asked us... each just one by one. And everybody said, "No." Which, I didn't know the boy Kyle or whatever had a little gun on him. I ain't know the whole time. So, all I know he asked everybody, I said, "No." Everybody else said, "No." He was like, "Well, is it safe for me to search y'all?" He searched me first. Then I moved to the side, he told me to step to the side. He searched... he searched uh... who did he search second?

DET. GRICE: And when he searching is he just like patting your pockets or is he going in your pockets or...?

TAVARIS KINCADE: He wasn't going in our pockets, he just went like that...

DET. GRICE: Touching?

TAVARIS KINCADE: He touching (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: Feeling 'em?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Feeling. And then he shook... he shook my pants. I don't know about everybody else, he shook my pants he reached down check my jacket... I know I ain't got nothin' so I didn't really even care.

DET. GRICE: Right.

TAVARIS KINCADE: I just let him search... search me. Told me to step to side, I step to side.

(telephone ringing)...

TAVARIS KINCADE: He searched George second. He searched George. George moved to the side. Then, he searched uh... Doobie. And by the time he was searching Doobie, all I seen was the boy Kyle come up, he shot... he shot him and I couldn't do nothin' but just run, 'cause I mean... he got a gun.

DET. HURLEY: Where'd he shoot him at?

TAVARIS KINCADE: He shot him in the head.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. Do you know whereat in the head?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-interrupted)... far as... far as I know that's all I seen was the gun go off and all I knew was to run. I ain't even see that 'til I heard the gun go... make the noise, I already... I was already running.

DET. HURLEY: Is that the first time you saw the gun was when... there or did he pull it out...

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: ...in the car previously?

TAVARIS KINCADE: First time was out there... first... when I seen it, he was already coming up. I ain't seen him getting it out or nothin', 'cause I know the police supposed to seen it. I don't know how he just... he just all (inaudible) by the time I looked the gun was coming up and he shot (inaudible).

DET. HURLEY: Okay, so you actually saw him...

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: ...pull the trigger?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I seen him.

DET. HURLEY: Did you see the flash and all?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I ain't see no flash. I told you 'bout the time I seen him go like this I... I went to running. Then I heard the sound and I just knew what he did so I just kept running.

DET. HURLEY: So when he... wh... what you're saying is you saw him bringing the gun up towards the officer's head and then you took off?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: Did the officer ask for you guys any identification or anything?

TAVARIS KINCADE: He asked us for ID, I said, "I don't have any." Well everybody didn't... ain't nobody have ID.

DET. HURLEY: Did you guys tell him, or did he write y'all's name down in a pad or anything?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Not that I know of.

DET. HURLEY: No?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: Um...

TAVARIS KINCADE: He ain't even get to finish checking us, that's the whole point. He only checked three of... three of us out of all people.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. When you ran, which way did you run from the park?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Turned... turned this way. Ran... I hit the fence. That's why my hand like this. I hit the tall... tall fence. It was like two separate gates, but I jumped up, hit the other gate. Heard people behind me running, so I was like, "They must be

running with me." Well, I'm making the sure the person had did it, 'cause I knew... I knew... I... now that I know who the person is, and I seen that he did it, I'm trying to keep him away from me, so I like... 'cause I was like I don't know what he would do. I just seen him shoot the police, he'll shoot me down. Yeah, I know I'll shoot the police.

DET. HURLEY: Which way did everybody run? Which way did... did uh... did Vontay run?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Vontay, he ran with me. (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: The same way?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah, the same way.

DET. HURLEY: What about George... which way did George run?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I don't know, I wouldn't turn around. I know... I heard one person behind me, I turn around, it was Vontay, and we ran together.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, was there any...

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: ...where... which way did Doobie run?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Doobie, he ran.. they ran like... it... we was all like together. We was all...

DET. HURLEY: Running the same way?

TAVARIS KINCADE: We was all together at first, but all I know... I turned off to get away from the one dude I know be the shooter.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. (sighs) How did you... and... and... I mean, you guys went to where... where'd you run to when you left the park?

TAVARIS KINCADE: We went... we went to Doobie... Doobie's people house where he had just took us before all this happened. We was already tryin' to get some water, or whatever. While we was out there. And he had already took us to this person house.

DET. HURLEY: Did anybody have any water; did anybody get water?

TAVARIS KINCADE: No.

DET. HURLEY: No? Um...

TAVARIS KINCADE: We ain't get water at that first time, at that first point. But, when we came back for the second time after all that happened, people answered the door. And we was tellin' 'em like what... what all had went down. But the dude, Kyle he wasn't in there with us. He was somewhere else (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: Who was in there with you?

TAVARIS KINCADE: It was Doobie, that had came... Doobie came and George and Davontay.

DET. HURLEY: So you... you... you, George, Vontay, and Doobie went to Carlous' house?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes.

DET. HURLEY: Which is Doobie's cousin or uncle or somethin'?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: And you guys told Carlous what had happened?

TAVARIS KINCADE: We tellin' him what happened, and he was like stay here, he was like, "Y'all just stay here." And then that's when I went to calling Emma. And I was like, "Man, just come get me, 'cause we ain't got nothin' to do with this," then that's when she was like... she seen all of y'all out there. She can't get through, so that's when me and Davontay went to coming out. Trying to go meet her. And then that's when they laid us down (inaudible).

DET. HURLEY: Okay. Um... how well do you know George and Doobie and Kyle?

TAVARIS KINCADE: George and Doobie, those two I hang around like every day.

DET. HURLEY: Do you know their real names?

TAVARIS KINCADE: George... George name is George Tucker. That's his real name.

DET. HURLEY: George Tucker?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: And how old is George?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Think he uh... sixteen now.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum. And what's Doobie...
Doobie's real name?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I don't know, I don't know Doobie real
name and all that. I just started hanging 'round him every day just
'cause (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: Who's that right there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: That's Doobie.

DET. GRICE: Kay. Just for the record he has uh...
looked at a picture. Identify him as Doobie. And his real name, the
spelling is uh... A-N-F-E-R-N-E-E. Last name Bruce. Now does he
live out there, in Crystal Grove?

TAVARIS KINCADE: His cousin. His cousin (inaudible-
interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: Which is Carlous?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Okay. (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: How old is Carlous?

(inaudible-multiple speakers)...

TAVARIS KINCADE: ...I don't even know the dude, Carlous.
He just was saying that's his cousin (inaudible).

DET. GRICE: Kay. Then of course George Tucker.
Um... yeah he's sixteen years old. So we... I can show you a picture
of him in a little bit.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, and do you...

DET. GRICE: Tell me uh... do you mind?

DET. HURLEY: No, go ahead.

DET. GRICE: I wanna show you another picture, see if
you i... can identify that person.

TAVARIS KINCADE: I'm sure that that's Kyle. (inaudible-
interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: This is Kyle?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Think that's him.

DET. GRICE: You think?

TAVARIS KINCADE: That is.

DET. GRICE: That is him, right?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. GRICE: This is the person that killed that police officer?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. GRICE: Right?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yes sir.

DET. GRICE: This is the person you saw pull the gun and shoot that police officer in the park?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I didn't see... I ain't see him shoot, but all I seen was the gun draw up.

DET. GRICE: How...

TAVARIS KINCADE: Then I told y'all I started runnin'.

DET. GRICE: How far away was he from that officer when he pulled the gun up?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Mean, he was like... from when I seen, he was searching... he was still tryin' to search and do...

DET. GRICE: So, he's right on top of him?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Pretty much.

TAVARIS KINCADE: basically...

DET. GRICE: So they're standing together?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Basically, I guess he felt like when his chance was fittin' to come to get searched he felt like...

DET. GRICE: So he was standing next to Doobie?

TAVARIS KINCADE: He was standing (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: And Doobie's being s...

TAVARIS KINCADE: ...like this. Like the whole park construction, all that stuff made right here. It just sit here. Kyle like up under the little thing, like... it was like a little slide going down this way.

DET. GRICE: Right.

TAVARIS KINCADE: And he was like up under the thing.

DET. GRICE: Right.

TAVARIS KINCADE: And he got Doobie right here gettin' searched... by the police officer.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: Kyle... by the time I seen and looked at him he raised the gun...

DET. GRICE: From up underneath the thing... he... he was up under...

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: ...the cover?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Like up under the (inaudible).

DET. GRICE: Yeah, where...

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: ...you go up to the slide and all that stuff?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

TAVARIS KINCADE: All I know I seen him raise up and (inaudible).

DET. GRICE: But he's... is he from me to you?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Is he what?

DET. GRICE: From me to you, from that officer?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah... I mean, by the time I see... yeah.

DET. GRICE: Yeah. So about the time he raises his hand...

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: ...he's reaching out, he could touch him?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah, he was up... he wasn't up, up close, but he was close.

DET. GRICE: Okay. And we're just sitting across the table from each other, so. And just for the record the person you're identifying as Kyle, this is the first time you had ever seen him?

TAVARIS KINCADE: My first time. I don't even...

DET. GRICE: Okay, and it's Kyle Williams.

TAVARIS KINCADE: I don't even know him, I don't know him.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: I just heard them saying his name tonight. You know how you be 'round people keep saying his name? (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: You know... do you know Domino's name?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Supposed to be like Dominic. (inaudible)...

DET. HURLEY: Dominic?

TAVARIS KINCADE: ...his real name.

DET. GRICE: Now this guy here, I showed you earlier. Was he with y'all at all?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Um... I don't.. naw.

DET. GRICE: You don't think so?

TAVARIS KINCADE: He wasn't.

DET. GRICE: I'm showing ya...huh?

TAVARIS KINCADE: He wasn't.

DET. GRICE: Okay. I'm showing you a picture of Dino Crawford. So you don't... you don't recall him being in the bunch?

TAVARIS KINCADE: No.

DET. GRICE: Okay. Do you recall... I'm sorry, Russ.

DET. HURLEY: It's okay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: I'm just trying to think about... I know that he's checking and stuff like that. You know, an officer usually has a little notebook with him. Did you... did he pull that out and write anything down while he was out there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible)... I don't think the man even had a chance...

DET. GRICE: Okay. You don't recall him writing any names down?

TAVARIS KINCADE: No I.. I don't... remember...

DET. GRICE: You remember him calling on the radio, any names in or anything to run, see if there's any warrants?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-interrupted)... I don't remember him saying that.

DET. GRICE: Okay. Did you see Kyle after all this?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. GRICE: No?

TAVARIS KINCADE: No.

DET. GRICE: You hadn't talked to him?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I haven't talked to him. I told you we all was at one place.

DET. GRICE: Right. But he didn't reach out on the phone anything like that?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Didn't reach out on my phone, he didn't...

DET. GRICE: Does he have your phone?

TAVARIS KINCADE: No. My phone right there.

DET. HURLEY: Do you... do you have a number for Kyle; a phone number?

TAVARIS KINCADE: No.

DET. HURLEY: No? Did he have a phone?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Not that I know of.

DET. HURLEY: Oh.

DET. GRICE: Who knows him the best?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I mean, maybe uh... Domino.

DET. GRICE: Domino?

DET. HURLEY: You...

TAVARIS KINCADE: I mean he was in the front seat.

DET. HURLEY: Do you where Domino lives at?

TAVARIS KINCADE: No. I don't know him like that. Only two main people... well only three people I know in that car real close is... no, the only two (inaudible) like this is George and Davontay. Those the only two people I know real close like far as where they stay, they age, all that. The other people, I don't even know about.

DET. GRICE: Do we know Mario and Quez?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah, Mario... Mario and Quez too.

DET. GRICE: Do we know them?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, you have a picture of Mario on (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: Is this the same Mario that we're talking about?

(inaudible-movement)

DET. GRICE: Is he real young?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Um-hum.

(long pause)...

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible)

DET. GRICE: Is that him?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. GRICE: So he... he's the one that got dropped off earlier?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Okay. So... this...

DET. HURLEY: And I don't...

DET. GRICE: That's Mario...

DET. HURLEY: ...(inaudible)...

DET. GRICE: ...Garrett.

TAVARIS KINCADE: Um-hum.

DET. GRICE: Kay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible) he sixteen...

DET. GRICE: G-A-R-R-E-T-T, sixteen years old. All right. Quez.

DET. HURLEY: There's a lot of Quez's out there, so I'm not sure which one this is. You know... what his real name is?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Marquez Green.

DET. HURLEY: Marquez Green?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

(long pause)...

DET. HURLEY: How old he... is he?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Think he... think he's like seventeen.

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

DET. GRICE: Seventeen. We'll get pictures, just so we can confirm it. Let me run and do that real quick.

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

DET. GRICE: You can keep on talking if you want.

DET. HURLEY: All right.

DET. GRICE: I'll put these up.

DET. HURLEY: Did you see which way Kyle ran?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I told you once I ran...

(inaudible-movement)...

TAVARIS KINCADE: ...I ain't never look back. I looked down only one time and the person that was behind me was Davontay.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. Okay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: And I turned off to make sure he didn't follow me.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, so I was just wondering if you seen which way he went.

TAVARIS KINCADE: 'Cause I know... 'cause I know (inaudible-stuttering)... I know what stuff... I know what kind of stuff happen after you do somethin' like that, just know, I watch too much TV. Watch too much TV. Anybody could've got shot out there. Just for him doing that. Already know. That why I was just so scared, just... anybody. Then I felt like at one point when he was following all us, when we ran. I'm still thinkin' like he could shoot anyone of us, 'cause he already might feel like we might tell or somethin'.

DET. HURLEY: On your phone did he... did anybody text you about this or anything?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Nobody.

DET. HURLEY: Did you get separated from 'em and get any calls from people to find out where you... everybody was going and all that?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Naw. I got... only got a call from Davontay, when... he was like... runnin' around still.

DET. HURLEY: So he was trying to find out where you guys were at?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. Um... whose phone did he call from?

TAVARIS KINCADE: He called from Doobie's phone.

DET. HURLEY: From Doobie's phone. Do you know Doobie's number?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: What is it?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Mean, I don't know it by heart. It's in my phone.

DET. HURLEY: All right, could you get that for me? Would you mind?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-movement)... It's shut off, (inaudible) come on.

DET. HURLEY: That... that phone seen some better days, huh?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Well, naw it's the case.

DET. HURLEY: Oh is it?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: It's like mine, then, mine's all chewed up too.

TAVARIS KINCADE: The battery low too.

DET. HURLEY: See, mine's all coming apart too.

TAVARIS KINCADE: It's... [REDACTED]

DET. HURLEY: [REDACTED]

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible).

DET. HURLEY: And what time did he call?

(long pause)...

TAVARIS KINCADE: Let's see...

DET. HURLEY: Is Carlous' baby m... momma a light skin black lady?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Light skin, yeah. ... Uh... let me see. It's like showing a lot of time.

(vibrating)...

TAVARIS KINCADE: this phone gonna go dead, it's a lot of
texts coming in. Uh... he called my phone at 10:20.

DET. HURLEY: 10:20?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: Would you mind if I hold that phone
and give it back to ya tomorrow and so I can pull those texts out of
there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I mean I wouldn't care, but I need my
phone.

DET. HURLEY: I'll get it to you as soon as I can. I'll have
the guy get on it first thing this morning, 'cause you'll probably be
sleeping, right? You're gonna sleep after this, right?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: So, would you mind?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-mumbling). I mean y'all can.
Mean...

DET. HURLEY: Here...

TAVARIS KINCADE: ...it's not nothing really in here
(inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: Well, I... I would like to do that. If you'll let me, I'd appreciate it. And like I said I'll get it back to you as soon as I can. I'll try to get it back to you before the end of the day. If that's okay?

TAVARIS KINCADE: All right.

DET. HURLEY: All right?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: I appreciate it, man. You wanna turn it off, so it doesn't lose power? And I'll get them right on it this morning, if you... and when we leave here I'll give you my number, so you can call me when you get up. And then I'll get it to you, okay?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: Um... (inaudible)... so, who... who all... did just you and Vontay get picked up by the... the apartments out there? Were the other guys already in the car?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-interrupted)... the police?

DET. HURLEY: No, like... when earlier, b... before you went over there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Oh, yeah, the rest of 'em was already in the car.

DET. HURLEY: They were all in the car.

TAVARIS KINCADE: And me and Davontay got picked up from Lincoln... Lincoln Court.

DET. HURLEY: Lincoln Court. Okay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: Which I should've stayed. Somethin' was telling me to.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah. Yeah, you... uh... that's what happens, you gotta... you gotta watch who you hang out with, man. Some of these guys are foolish, just like this, you know?

TAVARIS KINCADE: It's another thing. Like, if it... if it's like... 'cause you know me, we wasn't going to do a crime.

DET. HURLEY: Right.

TAVARIS KINCADE: He came up to check on us.

DET. HURLEY: Right.

TAVARIS KINCADE: And see what we was doing, so we can't be charged with accessory to a crime, 'cause...

DET. HURLEY: You doing the right thing, right now. Now, if you would've lied to us and...

TAVARIS KINCADE: Naw.

DET. HURLEY: ...and all that, then you'd be in just as much trouble as he was. But since you're being honest with us and you're telling us what happened you're good.

TAVARIS KINCADE: So I ain't.. can't go down for what nobody else did.

DET. HURLEY: And that's smart.

TAVARIS KINCADE: I always... and I always tell myself that.

DET. HURLEY: That's smart, because you know these... these guys wanna act all foolish and... you know, and unfortunately some people get their self wrapped up in it, 'cause they wanna lie, you know? And I mean, lying in a homicide investigation is fifteen years in prison, just for lying. So...

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: ...so I mean you did the right thing.

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-mumbling) Had to, we was even sittin' there talking about it after we ran and got away from him, we was like, "This man stupid. This man... who even told him to do it." Everybody stressin'... we ain't want him to do it. I was like, "I know y'all didn't want this man to do it," he talk about, "Naw. Man, this man crazy." And then the boy Doobie he was saying he came from Kathleen High School and came to Lakeland. And he was like that's how they met. Doobie and... Doobie and George don't even know him like that. He... they was like that's how they met. And they just thought he was cool. He didn't seem like the type of person that'll do somethin' like that.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

TAVARIS KINCADE: But I don't know him at all. I'm like... all I heard was them saying, "Kyle this, and Kyle that," all night. That's how I know his name. I don't even know that guy.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-mumbling).

(long pause)...

DET. HURLEY: Where'd you guys drop off Mario and Quez?

TAVARIS KINCADE: To uh... Lake Bonnie Apartment where he stay (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: Oh, yeah that's right you already told me that, didn't ya? Yeah at the entrance to Lake... at the Windover, right?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: Um... your cousin lives back in there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: What cousin?

DET. HURLEY: You had a cousin or somethin' that lives in back in there in Grove?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Oh. Naw, I... I had people that used to.

DET. HURLEY: Tysehia or something like that?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah, Tysehia, they used to.

DET. HURLEY: She don't live back there no more?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Naw, they stay on Skyview. (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: That's not too far from there.

TAVARIS KINCADE: ...uh... my auntie work... well, they momma work with uh... used to work with uh... we call it the J.A.C. Center. Mean, not the J.A.C. Center...

DET. HURLEY: J.A.C. Center.

TAVARIS KINCADE: ...but the detention center.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, J.A.C. Center. Juvenile Assessment Center.

TAVARIS KINCADE: But they don't have... they don't have it anymore though.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, they shut it down.

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah, she used to work there, her name was uh... uh... I think her name again, my... my... that's not my auntie. My uncle used to go with her.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

TAVARIS KINCADE: My uncle used to go with they momma. Her name was Eisha. Eisha um... think Eisha... Eisha somethin'.

DET. GRICE: Okay. We still ain't got Domino, right?

DET. HURLEY: No.

DET. GRICE: Okay. Who is this right here?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I don't know.

DET. GRICE: You don't know?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. GRICE: Do you know Carlous?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Naw.. I do not.

DET. GRICE: Did you talk to him today?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Naw. When they... when I came in they was talking to him. All I knew is the lights was all shut off.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: So I can't really see anything.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

TAVARIS KINCADE: I know he had dreads though.

DET. GRICE: Okay. Well, this is a Carlous Jackson that I'm showing you. And he actually lives out there. So, more than likely it's the right one. How 'bout this guy?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah, that's Quez.

DET. GRICE: That's Quez. That's Marquez Green. And how 'bout that guy right there?

TAVARIS KINCADE: George.

DET. GRICE: George Tucker. Kay, so he's identified... all of them. Kay. So all we need is Domino identified. Who would be the best person to reach out to, to figure out who Domino is?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Maybe George, heard they was cousins.

DET. GRICE: George Tucker?

TAVARIS KINCADE: 'Cause they say they... they say they cousins, I don't (inaudible)...

DET. GRICE: Okay, so he probably will know. Okay. Is there anything else we need to cover right now?

DET. HURLEY: Nothing, no. We were just shooting it a little bit.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

DET. HURLEY: He's gonna let us take his phone to...

DET. GRICE: Okay. Um...

DET. HURLEY: ...get it and... um....

DET. GRICE: Do you mind hanging out until uh... we kinda get some of this stuff sorted, 'cause we might get Domino's picture, so I can show you again?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (inaudible-mumbling).

DET. GRICE: You okay?

TAVARIS KINCADE: I am trying to go home though.

DET. GRICE: I understand. Well... you know I can't keep you here. I... I'm just asking ya. This is very, very important. You know?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Man, y'all got my phone, y'all (inaudible).

DET. GRICE: Well, we might be able to get John to come do that. He's supposedly out.

DET. HURLEY: Is he?

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: Well, then we'll call him. Let me call him real quick.

DET. GRICE: Yeah. We can get John to come in, he can do it and give it back to ya, if it... works easy. Okay?

TAVARIS KINCADE: (no audible response)

DET. GRICE: Do you need to go the restroom or...?

TAVARIS KINCADE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Kay. Come on right here.

TAVARIS KINCADE: I'll leave my stuff in here?

DET. GRICE: Yeah. We're... you're just going right here.

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DET. GRICE: That why you go by Doobie? Cause nobody can uh pronounce it?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Like... like the females they call me by my first name.

DET. GRICE: Okay. Hey listen.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: What's up?

DET. GRICE: This is Russ Hurley. I'm Brad Grice. We're detectives here at the police department. Okay? I wanna give you a straight up thing. We know the gig. We know what happened. We know who's out there, okay?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Including yourself, okay? And what... what all transpired, so don't lie or you'll get in a lot of trouble. Okay?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (no audible response)

DET. GRICE: We know why your phone's out there.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Why..

DET. GRICE: At the park. Huh?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: At... it's at the park?

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: My phone's at the park?

DET. GRICE: Don't... yeah, don't... don't play around now. 'Cause your homeboy's already told the whole story. Okay?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: What homeboy?

DET. GRICE: Huh?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: You can give me a name of my homeboy?

DET. GRICE: Sure.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: that told the story?

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Who?

DET. GRICE: There's two of 'em. Kincade and uh... what's the other one's last name?

DET. HURLEY: Um...

DET. GRICE: Ahh...

DET. HURLEY: Wilcox.

DET. GRICE: Wilcox. You know who I'm talking about now?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, I know who you're talking about.

DET. GRICE: Okay. So we ain't playing around, we got pictures of everybody, okay?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: All right.

DET. GRICE: Including you. We were fixing to come get you, again. You know? So what I'm telling you is, you know what happened out there. A police officer's dead. All right? Very serious. You lie in an investigation, you gonna go to prison. Kay? So don't lie. Just be straight up. You know, your two buddies they told the story. You know? So just be honest, okay? We're gonna give you one chance at this and one chance only to tell the truth. Okay?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: All right. I like...

DET. GRICE: Hold on. He's gotta go over this with you.

DET. HURLEY: 'Cause you're at the police station and this is a criminal investigation, we gotta read your rights. Okay?

(inaudible-movement)...

DET. HURLEY: All right. You have the right to remain silent. You understand that?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: Yes?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yes sir.

DET. HURLEY: Anything you say can and will be used against you in the court of law. You understand that?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible)

DET. HURLEY: Yes?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. You have the right to talk to a lawyer or have that lawyer present with you while you're being questioned. Do you understand that?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. If you cannot afford to hire a lawyer one will be appointed to represent you before any questioning if you wish. You understand that?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. You can at... decide to exercise these rights and not answer any questions or make any statements. You understand that?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: If you would, initial one through five indicating that we just read those together.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Like put... (inaudible)...

DET. HURLEY: Just your initials.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Okay.

DET. GRICE: Does your parent know you're down here?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh, I don't even know sir. I was at my cousin house.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

DET. HURLEY: Kay. Right there can you read that to me out loud, please?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: "Do you understand these rights I have explained to you?"

DET. HURLEY: Yes?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. And then sign right there, "I understand my rights." ... Thank you.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: Do you have any questions about your rights?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible)

DET. HURLEY: No?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (no audible response)

DET. HURLEY: Okay. ... Did I spell that right, A-N-F-E-R-E-E?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: R-N-E-E.

DET. HURLEY: R-N-E-E.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: (sighs)... And what's your date of birth?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Uh... 2/23/96.

DET. HURLEY: 2/23/92?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: 96.

DET. HURLEY: 96.

DET. GRICE: So what's that make you?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Fifteen.

DET. GRICE: Fifteen.

DET. HURLEY: Fifteen. And you said you haven't told your mom you're down here?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Naw.

DET. HURLEY: What school do you go to?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Lakeland High School.

DET. HURLEY: Kay. Um... how... is there any reason why you haven't told your mom that you were coming down here?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: 'Cause I ain't even know you fittin' to.. they came and questioned me out there I'm staying with my cousin and them was out there. They asked me...

DET. HURLEY: Who questioned you out there?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Uh... the sheriff.

DET. HURLEY: Sheriff?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah. Yeah, like (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: Tell... tell me what happened there. Tell me what happened.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: What? When they questioned me?

DET. HURLEY: You're at Carlous' house?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, all right so...

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: ...they came out there, you feel me? So they asked me, you feel me, where I was at the night before, told them where I was at the night before. You feel me, so they... they told me... they told me um... pshh... think what they ask me, I'm

tryin' (inaudible-mumbling), sir. When they asked me that, they asked me um... could they... could they take me 'round where I was at you feel me and I told them, "I... I don't wanna take you to this man house at three o'clock in the morning, he got a born... newborn baby." You feel me?

DET. HURLEY: You talking about Carlous' house?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, I was at Carlous house. But I... no I was talkin' 'bout um... um... person's house where I was at last night. I mean the night before. I was playin' cards, you feel me? So I told 'em, "I don't wanna take him there, to the house with a newborn baby." You feel me?

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: So they was like, "All right," you feel me, so they... detectives came, feel me, they... they got my name and date of birth, you feel me? So like, told 'em like I lost my phone. Feel me, they told me they got my phone and to come down here. And so I came down here, I guess...

DET. HURLEY: Okay. So you actually came down here to get your phone?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. Where'd you lose your phone at?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I can't even tell you, sir. Like (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: What... what happened at the park tonight?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Like, all I remember like... officer search me like, when he got done searching me like I walked... I... I walked off like towards like the tree. You feel me, I stood by the tree. Next thing you know I hear bam. When I hear that I just took off, I ain't even... I ain't even look back. I just ran. When I ran I hopped the gate, you feel me?

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I ranned all the way to my cousin house. You feel me, I'm panicking, I'm like, "No, this can't be happening." You feel me? "Patrol just got shot." You feel me, this crazy. So I ran... I... I'm knocking on my cousin door. You feel me, he asking me, "What's up? What's up? What's up?" You feel me, I... I can't... I ain't even tell him like... so he's like, "Doobie, talk to me." You feel me? I told him I just seen a crazy as hell... I was like... feel me, I just... he was like, "What happened?" I told him, "Man, patrol just got bust right in front of me."

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: He got down...

DET. HURLEY: Let's... let's back up and let's start to where when y'all hooked up and how y'all got to the park.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: How we got to the park?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: We were like... my dad... not my dad like, um.. I don't know who the driver was. You feel me? I guess... I

guess Kyle, he... he had the driver to drop us off out there or whatever. You feel me or whatever, (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: How do you know Kyle?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Kyle. I... I go to school with him.

DET. HURLEY: He's go to Lakeland High School?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, he... he goes to Lakeland with me.

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I don't... I don't know him personally. (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: Y'all got any classes together or anything?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Naw he... I don't know what he... in a higher grade than me. I think. You feel me, I don't know him personally, you feel me, but I just see him in the hallway. "What's up? What's up?" That, that, you feel me? (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: And y'all kinda hooked up today?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, I guess... yeah. Today.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. And then y'all hooked up with who... who else?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Who else? Them other two that was with us. Um...

DET. HURLEY: There was more than two now.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Okay, um... it was Kincade, me, Kyle, Vontay, and um... pshhh... um... um... um... um... um... George.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. And what about Domino?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Domino?

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Uh... I guess... I guess that was the driver.

DET. HURLEY: Who... how did the driver come to pick you up?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: How he come to pick me up?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, how did you get in the car with him?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I... I walked like... I walked, he came and picked me up at the park.

DET. HURLEY: Who was with him when he picked you up?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: He was by his self.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, so he... he... he...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: He was by his self when he picked me up.

DET. HURLEY: ...you don't know him and he don't know you, he just pulled up and said, "Hey, you wanna get in and go for a ride?"

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh, no, no, uh... Kyle was in there. Okay, yeah Kyle was in there. Kyle was in there when I came.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, were you supposed to meet Kyle at the park?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: No. Was I? No I walking to the park. Kyle told me to come to the park. You feel me, 'cause he was gonna come pick me up. And so I came...

DET. HURLEY: Which park?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Uh... parks by the um... you know the Mid-Florida Bank over there. I don't... I don't know where exactly where... I don't know the name of the street (inaudible)...

DET. HURLEY: Towards Taco Bell?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, over in that area.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, the park that's in between the two rows?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, okay, on Interlachen?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, I'm in there. I'm sorry, and uh... he got me, picked up Vontay and them.

DET. HURLEY: What kind of car was it?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I don't even know sir. Like, I don't even like pay attention looking at what kind of car it was. I can't even tell you?

DET. HURLEY: What color was it?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Grayish.

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I don't much like...

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: ...they told... like Kyle told us he was fittin' to go to the Grove. You feel me, he told us that?

DET. HURLEY: Okay, let me... let me stop you there for a minute. When he picked you up it was just Kyle and the driver?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Um-hum.

DET. HURLEY: And you didn't... he didn't introduce you to the driver or anything?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Uh... yeah, he told me who he was.

DET. HURLEY: What'd he... who'd he say?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Domino.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. But it was only Kyle and Domino in the car...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Domino.

DET. HURLEY: ...and that was it when you got in there?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: And then where'd you guys go from there?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: We picked up Vontay and them.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. And then you went to the...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: ...the hood there (inaudible-interrupted)...

(inaudible-multiple speakers)...

DET. GRICE: Now let me clarify, 'cause I'm kind of messed up. You picked up Vontay, George...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: And Pooh.

DET. GRICE: ...and Pooh?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, (inaudible)...

DET. GRICE: All right. What about Marquez?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Marquez? Naw, I ain't pick up Quez.

DET. GRICE: Do you know who he is?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Marquez?

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, I know who Quez is.

DET. GRICE: He wasn't with y'all at all?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: kin folk... naw.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

DET. HURLEY: Not prior...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: ... you guys didn't drop him off prior on the way? Him and Mario?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh yeah, we... we dropped 'em off in the um... where... where Mario stay. 'Cause Mario stressin' his dude's trippin', you feel me, he ain't got time for that, so was at the crib.

DET. GRICE: So Quez and Mario was in the car with y'all at one time?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Exactly, yeah one time, we dropped 'em off.

DET. GRICE: Okay. Well, that's what we're asking.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah.

DET. GRICE: Did they pick them up where Vontay was?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Vontay?

DET. GRICE: Yeah, was that where Quez and... and them were; where'd you pick them two up at... at Mario?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: At... where Mario... where Mario was at.

DET. GRICE: At Bonnie or out there at Windover?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: And then (inaudible-interrupted)...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: When they picked Mario... we rode around for a little bit, you feel me?

DET. GRICE: And then dropped them back off?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: They had dropped back... dropped them off, 'cause we was tryin' to see what we was fittin' to get into.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: So he dropped us off, so we went to the Grove. We went to the Grove I told them my cousin stay out there, so I might be going in there where my cousin at anyway.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum. Who dropped you... who dropped you off at the Grove?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Domino.

DET. HURLEY: And who all got dropped off?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: The people. Me, Pooh, George, Vontay, and Kyle.

DET. HURLEY: Mmm... okay. And then what happened when you got dropped off at the park?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: We was at the park chillin', you feel me, then we seen... we seen 'trol keep ridin' by.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Feel me? So like when 'trol kept ridin' by like, I got up. You feel me? I got up, and I walked... went to go pee. And I came back and sit down like, 'trol had came and stopped like, feel me, he got out. He asked us questions like, we got any weed on us. He asked us if we got weed. We told him we ain't got no weed on us. So, like he searched... he searched me, George, and Pooh. And the only three he searched like... after he searched me, like, I turned my back like... that's when I heard a boom. I heard a boom and (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: Okay, so did he search first?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: He searched um... Pooh.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. And then who did he search after that?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: He searched George, then he searched me.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. What about Tay?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: He didn't get searched.

DET. HURLEY: He didn't get searched?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Naw, bro ain't get... ain't even get the time to get searched.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. And who had a gun?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Uh... only... I think... I guess Kyle had it 'cause me and Pooh, me, Pooh or George or Vontay had no gun.

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Feel me... I ain't even know... I ain't even know he had no fire on him. You feel me?

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: If I knew he would've had fire on him I wouldn't have been in that car. You feel me?

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: 'Cause I already know what it's gonna lead to. That's trouble.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Feel me, if I had, I wouldn't... I wouldn't be in that car. I would've told him to drop me off at home.

DET. HURLEY: Did you s... did you see him shoot the patrol officer?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I ain't... I ain't see him sir. Feel me, 'cause... man, all right, he searched me, like... when he searched me I walked off, like... turned my back. Next thing you know, so when he got done searching me next thing you know I hear bam. I run.

DET. HURLEY: So who was he gonna search next?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I guess he was fittin' to search Kyle next. Feel me, 'cause Kyle had rose up when I rose up. I rose up, the officer told me to come here. You feel me, so I put my hands on my head, like dat there, he searched me. He searched my entire body. You feel me?

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: When George and them standing there. (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: And who... who... did you see anybody with a gun?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: No, I ain't see nobody with a gun (inaudible).

DET. HURLEY: Then why you make the assumption that Kyle had a gun?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: 'Cause I... I guess, 'cause... I ask Vontay, I was like, "Bro... bro, do y'all got somethin' on y'all?" Before... before police come out, I ask 'em, "Bro... specifically bro, do y'all got anything on y'all?" you feel me, both of 'em say, "No." Kyle was just lookin'.

DET. HURLEY: Kyle never answered ya?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Um-um, he ain't never answer me. Feel me?

DET. HURLEY: And he searched you and the other two so you knew they didn't have anything on 'em.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: No... you feel me, that's how I know they ain't have nothin' on 'em. You feel me? I knew Vontay was (inaudible), 'cause I told Vontay, "Bro, make sure you ain't got nothin' on you." You feel me? Vontay made sure he ain't have nothin' on him.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: You feel me?

DET. GRICE: Well, here's um... some of the issues I got a little bit. When you go back to Carlous'... who... whose with ya?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Ain't nobody with me.

DET. GRICE: Okay, where... when does Vontay and Pooh get there?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: When... when they got there?

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: After like... when I got there like two minutes later Vontay came.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: And after Vontay came Pooh came.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Then like... I guess, I guess they parents fittin' to come pick them up.

DET. GRICE: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: You feel me? And then when... when they walked out I don't know, I don't know if they made it home, I still don't know if them boys home.. oh y'all said y'all got 'em...

DET. GRICE: Did... did they talk to uh... Carlous while they were there, and tell 'em what they had saw?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Naw, they... yeah, they... naw they were like... they.. 'trol got bust. That's what they were telling him. He got shot, like you feel me?

DET. GRICE: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I'm like, "No," you feel me? I heard it.

DET. GRICE: Right.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: You feel me?

DET. GRICE: Well, listen, here's the issues that I got. Your... your buddies, Vontay and Pooh, we've already interviewed them. They're still here.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: They still here?

DET. GRICE: Okay? Yeah, 'cause they've been cooperating, doing the right thing. Okay? Now, they're saying that that officer had... I mean, ain't even let you go yet.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible)...

DET. GRICE: He was still searching you and he had... he either was just finished...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: that's what I said...

DET. GRICE: I know, but listen.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: He just got done searching me.

DET. GRICE: I understand, but you... you hadn't moved. According to them you were still standing there with that officer when he pulls that gun and shoots him.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Man, no. I know... I know exactly what I did. You feel me? 'Cause I remember it off the top of my dome, this still... the picture's still in my head.

DET. GRICE: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: What happened. When he got done searching me, I turned this way. By time I took like two steps, bam.

DET. GRICE: And you didn't turn around to see what happened?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: No, I ain't turn around to see what happened.

DET. GRICE: That don't make no sense at all.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: For what? Why turn around you hear a gunshot? (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: To see what's going on?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: ...my first instinct is to run.

DET. GRICE: Yeah, but then look back and see what's going on.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I... I wasn't trying to look back, sir.

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Tell you the truth.

DET. HURLEY: (inaudible)...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I was trying to get to my cousin house to be safe. That's what I was trying to do.

DET. HURLEY: Which way did you run?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Ran like through... I ran like... I ran... tree's right here, I hit the fence, hit the fence like ran (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: Now, the... the whole thing's fenced in, so you gotta be a little more clear. Did you run towards the patrol car, away from the patrol car?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I ran... I ran away... away from it. Ain't run towards the patrol car.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. So you ran towards the apartments?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Right... like the apartments right here.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Patrol car right here.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: And then like, you know, it's the fence. And they got the long fence like I run this way. Feel me, I hit the fence. I was runnin'. (laughs)

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Ran that way.

DET. GRICE: Where did George go?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I don't know where George go?

DET. GRICE: Yeah. Did he ever show up at Carlous'?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Who? George, naw, he ain't even show up.

DET. GRICE: Okay. And which one went out by the road? Did we ever figure that out?

DET. HURLEY: That was um... Kyle.

DET. GRICE: Okay. All right, let me uh... throw some pictures out at ya, see if you can help me identify some. Okay?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: All right.

DET. GRICE: Who's that right there?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: That's Carlous.

DET. GRICE: That's who you went to the house, right?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: And that's Carlous Jackson?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Okay. See, we wouldn't have all this if I was telling you a story. You understand?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I feel ya.

DET. GRICE: Who's that right there?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: That's... that's Quez.

DET. GRICE: That's Marquez Green?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (no audible response)

DET. GRICE: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: That's Bro.. George.

DET. GRICE: George Tucker?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Kay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: That's Fresh Kyle.

DET. GRICE: That's Kyle?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: What'd you call him?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I call him Fresh Kyle.

DET. GRICE: Fresh Kyle?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, that just a nickname I gave him.

DET. GRICE: Just you gave it to him?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: So he ain't known of that?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Naw.

DET. GRICE: Just...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I just call him that 'cause he like... stay
(inaudible-mumbling)...

DET. GRICE: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: ...Fresh Kyle.

DET. GRICE: And that's Kyle Williams?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I guess.

DET. GRICE: And that's the guy that was out there?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Okay. And then... who's that?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: That me.

DET. GRICE: That's you.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (laughs)

DET. GRICE: That's right. Do you know this guy at all?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Um-um.

DET. GRICE: No? Okay, and I'm showing you a picture of Dino Crawford. You never heard of him?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Naw, I ain't...

DET. GRICE: Okay. So he wasn't out there in the parking lot?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: No sir, he wasn't out there. I think uh...
(inaudible) Mario.

DET. GRICE: Mario. What's his last name?

DET. HURLEY: Um... Garrett.

DET. GRICE: Garrett. Yeah. I think that might be all we got there.

DET. HURLEY: That's it.

DET. GRICE: We don't know Domino. How can we figure out who Domino is?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Sir, I don't even know, sir.

DET. GRICE: Huh?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: If I could be real with you.

DET. HURLEY: You have a number for Domino?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Naw, I ain't got Domino number.

DET. GRICE: What's your uh... phone number?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Uh... [REDACTED]

DET. GRICE: [REDACTED]

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Okay. Is that um... uh... Metro?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Okay. Did you... while you were out there at the park did you... were you on the phone or did anybody use your phone?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Naw, like I textin' (inaudible), see where she was.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: And she told me... she wasn't comin' out right now. She wasn't (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: That's before the shooting?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, before anything happened she told me to come out there tomorrow.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: You feel me? After that, she... I ain't get no text from her. (inaudible)...

DET. GRICE: What's her name?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Love.

DET. GRICE: Love. Okay. Would you have any issues with us uh... downloading your telephone to show the text and stuff and the time stamp?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Would I have a issue?

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: With like..

DET. GRICE: Do you mind the police taking your phone and downloading the... the information from it to show that particular text and things like that...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Text message?

DET. GRICE: Yeah, it...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh, yeah..

DET. GRICE: 'Cause it time stamps it.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, you... you can, you can (inaudible-interrupted/movement)...

DET. GRICE: Okay. Okay, and then that way we can get it back to you.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: All right, okay.

DET. GRICE: Okay?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I'll give you... matter a fact I'll tell you the whole text what I said. At first I text her, I asked her where she at.

DET. HURLEY: Just print your name on that top line right there.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: She say she at home. You feel me? I tell her... I asked her 'bout the Grove, she was like, "Yes." You feel me, I told her I'm in the Grove. She was like, she asked me was I gonna be there tomorrow. I was like I might be.

DET. HURLEY: And...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: ...you... you wanna read that, it basically just says that you're giving us consent to search your computer, which is your phone, 'cause phone's considered mini computers now days.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (reading)... So if I don't let y'all do it, y'all ain't gonna give it back?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, well we have to get a search warrant.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Search warrant?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Y'all can't (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: I mean listen, I mean you don't have to sign this if you don't want to.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Saying like y'all can... y'all can like get it through to me so like... it's like if I tell y'all, y'all give it back. If I tell y'all, y'all can like do the little...

DET. HURLEY: We'll get it back to you as quick as we can either way.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, either way, but it's gonna be a search warrant?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, I mean if you don't sign this, then I'll have to get a search warrant. That's all.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: For me?

DET. HURLEY: No for the phone.

DET. GRICE: No for the phone.

DET. HURLEY: For the phone.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: the phone?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: So I mean you don't have to sign it if you don't want to. It's...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: ...it's t... entirely up to you.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: So...

DET. HURLEY: It would be a lot quicker to get the phone back if you signed it, but I'm trying to make you feel like you have to sign it, because you... but you don't have to sign it if you don't want to.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: So like.. what the search warrant for the phone for? Like...

DET. HURLEY: Because we're gonna search the phone.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh, for the text.

DET. GRICE: Right, for the text...

(inaudible-multiple speakers).

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh okay, okay, okay. (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: But I mean you don't have to sign it if you don't want to. This... you're giving us permission to do it, so we don't have to go get a search warrant.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: All right. So like um...

DET. GRICE: And we'll actually write down the make and model and serial number and everything right here.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible)... I write... I write my name?

DET. HURLEY: It... it's...

DET. GRICE: You...

DET. HURLEY: ...sign down there.

DET. GRICE: ...you don't know what it is; do you know what kind of ph... is it a Samsung...?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Sam... Samsung, yeah.

DET. GRICE: You can put... you can write Samsung up there if you want and then we'll put in the serial number and stuff once he opens the back to it.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: All right, (inaudible-mumbling).

DET. HURLEY: Signature authority.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh.

DET. GRICE: Have you handled a firearm last night?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (no audible response)

DET. GRICE: Not at all?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible) Naw.

DET. GRICE: Kay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I ain't... no contact with no...

DET. GRICE: Would you have any issues providing us with buccal swabs for DNA?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Would I have an issue with that?

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: You do?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: It's like... yeah.

DET. GRICE: Okay. Just asking. Everybody else has been cooperating, I'm just checking with you.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I'm sayin' I'll cooperate, but like that... what... what that's... what's that for? Like the DNA?

DET. GRICE: Well, if there's anything linking DNA wise to the officer, they can compare it to you. And it eliminates ya. You know, the... the... you know what I'm saying? That...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Like, eliminate me from the whole situation?

DET. GRICE: Well, hope... hope... I mean you didn't shoot him. Right?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Naw, I ain't...

DET. GRICE: And that's what we're trying to do is to eliminate the people that was there.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh.

DET. GRICE: You know, 'cause I know that you were there.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. GRICE: So, again, we can you know, we'll have to turn around and get a search warrant. Um...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible-movement)...

DET. GRICE: ...later on. Huh?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Y'all do the DNA thing?

DET. GRICE: Right.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Y'all gonna have the search warrant?

DET. GRICE: Yeah, we'll have to do a search warrant...

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, if you don't...

DET. GRICE: ...to get it from ya.

DET. HURLEY: If you don't wanna let us do it, then we'll just have to get a court order or a search warrant.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Okay, I'll let y'all do it (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: Is there an issue (inaudible-interrupted)...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Naw it ain't no issue, I was just sayin'... I was just sayin' no 'cause I don't feel like going through all that, but I'll do it...

DET. HURLEY: It's... it's...

DET. GRICE: Okay, all it is.. is cotton swab and just rub your cheeks.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I'll do it.

DET. GRICE: Okay. Well let me uh...

DET. HURLEY: You wanna call her?

DET. GRICE: Who?

DET. HURLEY: Uh... either one... the one...

DET. GRICE: Is somebody down there still?

DET. HURLEY: I don't know. Actually we can do it.

DET. GRICE: Yeah. I got some stuff at my desk.

DET. HURLEY: All right.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: You wanna stay here and...

DET. HURLEY: Yep. Yep, I'll stay here.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: said I'm going back to my cousin house,
right?

DET. GRICE: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh okay.

DET. GRICE: Yeah. Yeah, man you... you ain't under
arrest or nothin'.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: All right.

DET. GRICE: I appreciate you cooperating and
helping us like your... your buddies are, okay?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: All right.

DET. GRICE: So thank you very much.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: You're welcome, sir. This shit has been
crazy for me, dawg.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, it's just a...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Man.

DET. HURLEY: ...fucked up thing, huh?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, bro I can't take no shit like with my head like that... that's too much right there.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Shoot police...

DET. HURLEY: Did you see where the officer was shot at?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Huh?

DET. HURLEY: Did you see where the officer was shot at?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I ain't... no I ain't even see nothin' you feel me, I... like afterward I got on my cousin phone and go on Bay News 9, and said he had got killed. You feel me? I'm like, "No." You feel me? Now I understand like, you feel me if he would've shot him like.. so I know he got on a bulletproof vest.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: So he probably would've just fell and you feel me, got back up. But like, bam. You feel me, I ain't hear him get back up? You feel me?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: And he fell, I'm like, (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: So you saw him fall?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: No, I ain't see him fall, you feel me? They were um... Vontay and them was telling me how he fell like..

DET. HURLEY: Oh.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: You feel me?

DET. HURLEY: When you got to Carlous'?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, they were (inaudible)..

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I'm like, "Man this shit crazy, dawg. I'm too young for this shit."

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Stress on my head. I know how y'all feel. You feel me?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, it's a sad... sad day.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: It's a sad day when anybody gets killed. You know?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, (inaudible). Pshhh...

DET. HURLEY: And that's... that was... I don't understand the violence, man. It's just crazy out there.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: And like I was thinking, when I heard that gunshot I thought I was fittin' to get shot.

DET. HURLEY: Just... just like this, this is senseless, this kid's a young kid and now he ruined his life for what?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: His whole life (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: 'Cause he had two misdemeanor warrants?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: His whole life (inaudible).

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Damn dawg. And I think... I think bro a senior. A senior, this was his last year. Man, this shit crazy. I thought I was fittin' to get like, you feel me, I thought I was fittin' to get shot. It ain't no telling what could've happened.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: You feel me? (inaudible)...

DET. HURLEY: How do you say your first name?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Anfernee.

DET. HURLEY: Anfernee?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, like Penny Hardaway.

DET. HURLEY: Oh okay.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah. Anfernee.

DET. HURLEY: So they named ya after him, huh?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, (inaudible). (laughs)

DET. HURLEY: That's pretty cool.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (sighs)... Boy. Boy, boy, boy.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, I seen... I read not too long, I guess he's trying to get back in the game.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah, I guess so.

DET. HURLEY: Said... I can't remember what team they said they were looking at him.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Uh... yeah.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible). I'm trying to make it out... I'm... I play basketball, you feel me?

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: That's my way tryin' to make it up out this. This crazy world, man. It's crazy.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah. You always got education, man. Yeah, it's uh... the... education's not hard, just gotta do the work. Even in college, man.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Yeah.

DET. HURLEY: I've been there. Just you gotta do the work. That's all you gotta do. If you're disciplined enough to just sit down and do the work, it's not hard.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: It ain't.

DET. HURLEY: You just gotta... budget your time and get it done.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: That's what I do.

DET. HURLEY: You do that you'll make it through with decent grades and...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible)...

DET. HURLEY: And there's all kind of opportunities out there, you know?

(inaudible-multiple speakers/movement)...

DET. HURLEY: So, I mean you can get paid for.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: But yeah that's my dream man, become a basketball player. I don't become a basketball player I be a doctor. Feel me, doctor or somethin'.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Put that extra work in.

DET. HURLEY: (yawns) Oh man, I'm tired.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I'm tired too.

DET. HURLEY: You... you know uh... George's number?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: No, I got... I... I... pshhh... accidentally deleted bro number out my phone. You feel me, 'cause I was... I was trying to call him and like when you go back on the call log, like, you press options and then you send a message.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: And like right under the message, it's um... erase. Erase contact like... pshhh... man, like my phone was like... it's like puffy.

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: And it bitch, so it's hard to... go down there and go down two. I went down two and I guess I hit erase. I... I gotta get bro number again. Like this shit crazy though man, this shit crazy. (inaudible). I ain't even know my night was gonna happen like this.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah, I'm sure all you guys were surprised.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: I was. I... I couldn't even go to sleep like... I had that shit... that shit was on my mind. I couldn't get that out of my mind. (inaudible).

(long pause)...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: How y'all caught Pooh and them?

DET. HURLEY: Hmm?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: How y'all caught Pooh and them?

DET. HURLEY: They're out there by Carlous'.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: They were walking?

DET. HURLEY: Um-hum.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Pshh.

DET. HURLEY: See, we got witnesses that saw you guys running from there.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Oh, yeah.

DET. HURLEY: Yeah.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Man.

(inaudible-movement)...

DET. GRICE: (laughs) I don't know what half of it is. (inaudible-movement)... Okay. Doobie, this is uh... basically a... a consent to provide buccal swabs. That's what we call these buccal

swab. Got your name up here and you can read it. It's just saying that you're volunteering to give us uh... permission take these swabs to use in this particular investigation.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: All right.

DET. GRICE: Okay? If you'll just sign right there. It's painless. You've had it done before?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Uh... not, naw.

DET. GRICE: No?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Never.

DET. GRICE: Today's the 19th? (inaudible-mumbling). Yeah. ... All right. There's gonna be two of 'em. There's one in each one, but... just open your mouth there, and I'll do one side with this one and then we'll uh... do the other side with this one. ... Okay. ... date and time... All right. Um... what we doing with the phone thing?

DET. HURLEY: I think it's the phone they already got out there.

DET. GRICE: Okay. The downfall is... they're still doing a bunch of shit and collecting evidence. And, we've got three phones and we've already got a guy downloaded stuff. Can we uh... either get a hold of ya when it's finished or bring it to ya at Carlous... Are you going to be at Carlous' tonight?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Tonight, yeah (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: Well it's... it's five now, in the morning,
so...

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Well, I might... I might be going in the
morning like (inaudible)...

DET. GRICE: What... what time?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: Like 'bout nine, (inaudible-
interrupted)...

DET. HURLEY: I'll give you my card with my number
on it. And when you wake up this afternoon just call me and we'll
hook up.

ANFERNEE BRUCE: All right.

DET. HURLEY: All right?

DET. GRICE: Fair enough?

ANFERNEE BRUCE: (inaudible-interrupted)...

DET. GRICE: All right, man...

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Recorded Statement: Davontay Wilcox
Offense: Attempted 1st Degree Murder
Event #: 2011-24393
Event Location: 2200 Crystal Grove Lane
Case Agent: Det. Russ Hurley

Det. Russ Hurley: All right, like we inter.. told you on the way up here, I'm Det. Hurley, this is Det. Grice. Um.. and we're gonna talk to you a little bit if you don't mind. But since you're here at the police station and all that, I gotta read you your rights and stuff, okay?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: Um.. can I get your name?

Davontay Wilcox: Davontay Wilcox.

Det. Russ Hurley: How do you spell Davontay?

Davontay Wilcox: D-A-V-O-N-T-A-Y Wilcox.

Det. Russ Hurley: WILCOX?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: What's your date of birth (inaudible)?

Davontay Wilcox: 9-5-93.

Det. Russ Hurley: 5-9..

Davontay Wilcox: No, 9-5.. September the 5th. '93.

Det. Russ Hurley: And what's your address?

Davontay Wilcox:

[REDACTED]

Det. Russ Hurley: and how long have you lived there?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. maybe about.. eight months, but we stayed there a lot of times during my childhood like..

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay. So on and off but..

Davontay Wilcox: yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: Eight months.. the last eight months.

Davontay Wilcox: Last but.. but probably ten years all together.

Det. Brad Grice: Who do you stay with?

Davontay Wilcox: My mom.

Det. Brad Grice: What's her name?

Davontay Wilcox: Emma.

Det. Brad Grice: Emma what?

Davontay Wilcox: Same last name.

Det. Brad Grice: Wilcox..

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay. All right Davontay, how.. how far'd you get.. are you still in school?

Davontay Wilcox: No sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: Graduated?

Davontay Wilcox: I got kicked out in sixth grade.

Det. Russ Hurley: Sixth grade so you haven't been past sixth grade?

Davontay Wilcox: No sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: Um what was the last school you attended?

Davontay Wilcox: Well um.. I.. (inaudible) school drop back in academy?

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: When they first came out with that, I had went there. And they ain't tell me once you sign up, you can't go back to public school. They just was like, "You can come here, get your grades, go back in your right grade" but it wasn't like that so..

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: that was the school, the Drop back in academy.

Det. Russ Hurley: Can you read and write?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: All right, you wanna read this with me?
You have the right to remain silent, you understand that?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: Anything you say can and will be used
against you in a court of law. You understand that?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: You have the right to talk to a lawyer and
have the lawyer present with you while you're being questioned, do
you understand that?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: If you cannot afford to hire a lawyer, one
will be appointed to represent you before any questioning if you
wish, you understand that? You can decide at any time to exercise
these rights and not answer any questions or make any statements,
you understand that?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: Would you initial one through five
indicating that we read those together? And then if you'd read that
right there and answer that question for me.

Davontay Wilcox: Circle?

Det. Russ Hurley: Can you read it out loud for me?

Davontay Wilcox: Do you understand these rights I have explained to you?

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: Circle it?

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah. And sign right there, I understand my rights. You have any questions about your rights?

Davontay Wilcox: Not that I know of.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay. All right um.. why are you here?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. first they said, you're just being investigated and not under arrest and all that and then nobody told me nothing, nobody told me nothing, nobody told me nothing. Then I heard 'em talking in the room over there, they was like "This is kid's seventeen and this kid's eighteen. They were over here and the officer got murdered so.. that's the only thing I know.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: The news people walked in, that's when I heard 'em talk. We are from Channel 8 and they started talking and I heard 'em talking about it like..

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay. Um.. you live at 804 W. 7th Street.

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: And that's no where.. where they.. where they got you, right?

Davontay Wilcox: No but Carlos stays over there and..

Det. Russ Hurley: Who's Carlos?

Davontay Wilcox: it's my friend's uncle.

Det. Russ Hurley: Do you know his last name?

Davontay Wilcox: No sir.

Det. Russ Hurley: where does he stay at?

Davontay Wilcox: I think in Crystal Woods.

Det. Russ Hurley: Crystal Woods, at apartments over there?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah its like right where they seen me coming from and then they just.. step. When they rode by me one time, flashed they lights, seen when they came in and then they just.. stopped.

Det. Russ Hurley: Stopped you?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah. and just..

Det. Russ Hurley: Who were you with?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. Tavares.

Det. Russ Hurley: Tavares?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: Who's Tavares?

Davontay Wilcox: He.. dates my mom but I'm older than him but he go with my mom.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay what's uh.. was he here? He's the other guy that came up here with you..

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Russ Hurley: You know his last name?

Davontay Wilcox: Kincaid.

Det. Russ Hurley: Kincaid? And who else was (inaudible)?

Davontay Wilcox: At school.. right there.

Det. Russ Hurley: That's it.. how'd y'all get from over there to here.. to Crystal Grove?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. who I was in the car with? My.. um.. I don't wanna tell you a story. Um.. I know how I got there but I'm trying to think who was driving, who car is that. Um.. (inaudible) what's his name.. I know y'all probably think I'm foolin' around. Um.. Domino.. it's my friend Domino.

Det. Russ Hurley: Do you know Domino's real name cause I'm assuming that's a street name?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. If.. no, that's his real name and if it ain't, like I can.. find out. but..

Det. Russ Hurley: How old is Domino?

Davontay Wilcox: He grown. He like.. if he ain't grown (inaudible) but I know his mama let him get the car.

Det. Russ Hurley: How old do you think?

Davontay Wilcox: Seventeen cause he childish, no facial hair.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: But he got his like um.. driver's license.

Det. Russ Hurley: He drove you in your mom's car?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm. My mama car got totaled like.. three.. three.. two months ago.

Det. Russ Hurley: Oh okay. Who's car was he driving?

Davontay Wilcox: His mama let him use his car.

Det. Russ Hurley: You know what kinda car it was?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. a Impala.

Det. Russ Hurley: Impala, where's he stay at?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know but I can find out but.. (inaudible)

Det. Russ Hurley: Where did he pick you up at?

Davontay Wilcox: he didn't pick me up.

Det. Russ Hurley: How did you get with him in the car then?

Davontay Wilcox: Oh, I thought you meant pick me up from over there. I was fittin' to say, the police picked me up. Oh he came to Lincoln Court, I stay in A-18. And we sell candy and soda's and all that. came over there.

Det. Russ Hurley: so he went over there with you?

Davontay Wilcox: Where?

Det. Russ Hurley: To Crystal Grove.

Davontay Wilcox: No he dropped me and Tavares off cause Tavares cousin Tysehia live out there.

Det. Russ Hurley: His.. cousin who?

Davontay Wilcox: Tysehia.

Det. Russ Hurley: Tysehia? What were you guys going out there for?

Davontay Wilcox: Tysehia.

Det. Russ Hurley: To see Tysehia?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible response)

Det. Russ Hurley: and where's Tysehia live?

Davontay Wilcox: um.. some.. I know it's somewhere around Crystal Grove cause that's where she was gonna meet us at.

Det. Russ Hurley: Where was she gonna meet you at?

Davontay Wilcox: Out there in Crystal Grove.

Det. Russ Hurley: Where about out there? It's a pretty big area.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah it is (inaudible). It's Christmas break she just.. said call us, well actually the text said.. "I'ma call y'all when y'all meet us" or something like that. (inaudible)

Det. Russ Hurley: So she sent you a text?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Russ Hurley: What's your phone number?

Davontay Wilcox: No it ain't my phone, it's the phone that the police got from.. him.

Det. Russ Hurley: It's his phone?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah they had his phone.

Det. Russ Hurley: Do you know the number?

Davontay Wilcox: Um...not by heart but.. you know, (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: Do you have a phone?

Davontay Wilcox: No sir, never did.

Det. Russ Hurley: Never have?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah I (inaudible) phones.

Det. Russ Hurley: All right. Um..

Det. Brad Grice: What color Impala was it?

Davontay Wilcox: Was it.. gray, do Impala got factory colors? I know some cars got certain grays.

Det. Brad Grice: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: I think it was gray like.. but it was a nice gray like..

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: It wasn't gray like.. this. It's like.. almost brown in it, like a factory color, that's why I said that.

Det. Brad Grice: Does he have a nickname or anything?

Davontay Wilcox: All I know him by is Domino.

Det. Brad Grice: Domino. What about you? You got a nickname?

Davontay Wilcox: Vontay.

Det. Brad Grice: Vontay?

Davontay Wilcox: But my real Davontay.

Det. Brad Grice: What about uh Tavares?

Davontay Wilcox: No.

Det. Brad Grice: He just goes by Tavares?

Davontay Wilcox: Well I call him Tavares. I don't hang with nobody else cause..

Det. Russ Hurley: So where did you specifically get dropped off at?

Davontay Wilcox: Crystal Grove..

Det. Russ Hurley: What part?

Davontay Wilcox: At the highway... soon as you pass Bonny Crest, that's Crystal Grove. Well that's what we consider the Grove. And he let us out right there and hit his U-turn.

Det. Russ Hurley: by Bonny Crest?

Davontay Wilcox: No. By.. it used to be Windover, cause Bonny Crest then Windover..

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay Windover Apartments?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah. That light right there where you make a U-turn.

Det. Russ Hurley: Right by Dunkin Donuts. So he dropped you off on 98 there?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible response)

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah? Okay. um.. and then where'd you go from there?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. first I went to my friend Mario house, he stay in Windover.

Det. Russ Hurley: Mario?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Russ Hurley: How old's Mario?

Davontay Wilcox: Like sixteen.

Det. Russ Hurley: Do you know which apartment's he lives in, which number?

Davontay Wilcox: I can go there but ain't nobody answer the door, but I can go there to it like..

Det. Russ Hurley: You know what building?

Davontay Wilcox: Not by heart but soon as you go in.. right here.

Det. Russ Hurley: First one's on the right?

Davontay Wilcox: No.. left. But you gotta go in like this.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: So you go in to the left?

Davontay Wilcox: And then you know the one building like this.

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible)

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: That building right there.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: All the other buildings..

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay there's a building here and then there's a building like this and you're saying go to that one?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah I think they got to do it this way though. You can't do it from my side of the street cause it don't look right.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay. Um.. anyways, so you went to Mario's house and he wasn't there?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay. And um.. and then what?

Davontay Wilcox: I had called Tavares and them back.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: And then..

Det. Russ Hurley: So you were by yourself? Where would you meet up with Tavares at?

Davontay Wilcox: No, he.. everybody was going to the Grove. Like.. two or three streets over.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay specifically where.. so.. y'all didn't ride over there together?

Davontay Wilcox: No.. we both rode over there together.

Det. Russ Hurley: You and.. and Tavares?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay then you.. you and Tavares went to Mario's apartment?

Davontay Wilcox: I went to Mario house.

Det. Russ Hurley: Where was Tavares?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know. I don't know if he was going to get Black & Mild's, go to the store cause he supposed to be with me.. cause Domino ain't got nothing to do with it, he just came to our house.

Det. Russ Hurley: And he just dropped you off, right? Or did he go there with you too?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Russ Hurley: Who all was supposed to meet and hang out?

Davontay Wilcox: Me, Tavares, I think Tysehia. Well I know Tysehia, that's his cousin but she was for me. Um.. I think she got a cousin J'Mesha. Um.. I don't know who else but.. it's Christmas break so.. we just was trying to chill.

Det. Russ Hurley: I hear it. Where were you guys gonna hang out at?

Davontay Wilcox: At um.. Carlos spot. I was going to Carlos spot?

Det. Russ Hurley: At Carlos house?

Davontay Wilcox: I wasn't going inside, on the part cause he grown, he ain't gonna just let kids come over there.. (inaudible)

Det. Russ Hurley: How old's Carlos?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know. It's.. Doobie was like, "You can go to my uncle house (inaudible)" he ain't really say nothing but..

Det. Russ Hurley: Does he live there by his self?

Davontay Wilcox: No I think he got.. a baby mama..

Det. Russ Hurley: have you been over to his house before?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Russ Hurley: Who's.. who's Carlos again?

Davontay Wilcox: It's Doobie uncle.

Det. Russ Hurley: Who's Doobie?

Davontay Wilcox: Remember I told you, my friend?

Det. Russ Hurley: Well you're telling me.. throwing lots of names at me, I'm just trying to clarify it.

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible) Tavares, we went to Mario crib.

Det. Russ Hurley: And who's Doobie?

Davontay Wilcox: It's.. Carlos's nephew.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay where do you know Doobie from?

Davontay Wilcox: Like.. just the streets.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay. Anyways, and then what happened?

Davontay Wilcox: Where were we at?

Det. Russ Hurley: You.. you were going to Carlos's house.

Davontay Wilcox: Uh.. I ain't never.. say that yet.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: I ain't never get to meet up with a chick.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: I know y'all are probably like, what the heck but I'm really just sleepy and tired.

Det. Russ Hurley: I understand. I am too.

Davontay Wilcox: I don't wanna mix up the story cause I watch a lotta TV.

Det. Russ Hurley: (inaudible)

Davontay Wilcox: I mean for real man.

Det. Russ Hurley: So where'd you guys end up?

Davontay Wilcox: I ended up right there at Carlos porch.

Det. Russ Hurley: At Carlos, is that where they got you is at Carlos's porch?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Russ Hurley: No?

Davontay Wilcox: The police got me walking from Carlos porch.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay. Was Carlos there?

Davontay Wilcox: he was in the house.

Det. Russ Hurley: Did.. did you talk to him?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible response)

Det. Russ Hurley: No?

Davontay Wilcox: Told you I ain't never even get to meet up with my chick.

Det. Russ Hurley: And it was just you and Tavares and that's it, nobody else caught up with you?

Davontay Wilcox: I was supposed to go meet up with all of them.

Det. Russ Hurley: Where at though?

Davontay Wilcox: Crystal Grove.

Det. Russ Hurley: I understand that but this is a big area. I mean, it's.. you know.. where would you meet at?

Davontay Wilcox: I (inaudible) they phones.

Det. Russ Hurley: where do you guys hang out when you go over there?

Davontay Wilcox: The Grove, I ain't know.. cause I don't go over there.

Det. Russ Hurley: You've never been over there before?

Davontay Wilcox: You can ask them, be like, "well when you guys usually go to the Crest or the Grove, does Davontay go with y'all?" and they'll be like, "This his first (inaudible) to go."

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Det. Russ Hurley: So..

Det. Brad Grice: Do you know who that guy is right there?

Davontay Wilcox: Look like Domino.

Det. Brad Grice: that's Domino?

Davontay Wilcox: No he look like Domino.

Det. Brad Grice: But it ain't Domino?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. I don't know. the people who.. was um.. in the car with Domino, they can point him out cause I ain't never met him. That's why I told you I don't never go to the Crest.

Det. Brad Grice: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: or to the Grove.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah. So this isn't..

Davontay Wilcox: Always gotta be the quiet kid get..

Det. Brad Grice: Hmm?

Davontay Wilcox: I said it's always the quiet kid.

Det. Brad Grice: is he the quiet one?

Davontay Wilcox: No, I'm the quiet one.

Det. Brad Grice: you're the quiet one? But you think that might be Domino that was driving the Impala?

Davontay Wilcox: Cause it's.. I'm trying to remember all the name cause when we was in the car, I ain't.. the only person I mentioned Tavares cause that's who with me. All the other people with him, you know or that.. is important to y'all but not to me and..

Det. Brad Grice: Tavares know who he is then?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. Tavares was with me, that's what I'm saying.

Det. Brad Grice: I know but does he.. I mean this guy came and picked you up.

Davontay Wilcox: He could.. no he came to my (inaudible) his other little friends and..

Det. Brad Grice: but he's driving.

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: you're gonna get in the car with him.

Davontay Wilcox: You know how.. well you don't know how it is in.. if you ever see somebody come to somebody house in the 'hood.. well not the 'hood, but a neighborhood; everybody just come up to the car tryin to get in cause they see somebody young driving.

Det. Brad Grice: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: And they feel that.. we can ride.

Det. Brad Grice: Hmm. Who would know him?

Davontay Wilcox: Alotta people like.. holla.. all us like.. I don't know him but I know y'all like, what the heck going on but.. they had me up in here (inaudible)

Det. Brad Grice: Let me go see if uh.. Tavares knows who he is.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay. You um.. so you and Tavares were going from 807.. or 804 W. 7th Street to the.. to the Groves to meet up with a bunch of people but there was no specific destination you guys were gonna meet up?

Davontay Wilcox: They probably knew where they was gonna meet up at and..

Det. Russ Hurley: What time were you supposed to meet up?

Davontay Wilcox: It wasn't no time, everybody was like, "My uncle stay.." well not everybody. Doobie told me his uncle stay in.. (inaudible) um.. the wood... what I just said? Crystal Woods or Crystal Grove or something like that and that's where I was gonna take the chick at.

Det. Russ Hurley: Which chick were you supposed to hook up with?

Davontay Wilcox: Tysehia, that's Poo cousin.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay. And how long you been hanging out with Tavares today?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. I usually just be with him.

Det. Russ Hurley: Not usually.. tonight.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh. Um.. since like.. I don't wanna just look at your watch and hit the time but.. I'll say like... I be with him all day, every day.

Det. Russ Hurley: today?

Davontay Wilcox: No, today I was with him not all day but I was with him most of my day.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay which started about what time? What time did you and Tavares hook up?

Davontay Wilcox: that's the only thing I don't know is like what time I got with him was.. I hate being in a situation like this where it look like I'm lying and mixing up my story cause I don't know what you wanna hear or what you need to know.

Det. Russ Hurley: I just wanna know what you know, man, that's all.

Davontay Wilcox: that's what I'm trying to .. help you do and.. it's cracking me up boy I hate this type of stuff.

Det. Russ Hurley: Was it before dark or..?

Davontay Wilcox: Oh it was daytime. But you know Daylight Saving it get ark at 6:00.

Det. Russ Hurley: After lunch?

Davontay Wilcox: We don't eat lunch. I don't even..

Det. Russ Hurley: Supper?

Davontay Wilcox: It was daytime, that's what I'm telling you, there ain't no daylight savings so..

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: but I'm always with Poo.

Det. Russ Hurley: His name's Poo? Why you call him Poo?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know cause he just like me, quiet, sit back, some people try to say soft. I don't know. and he used to go with a girl name Poo (inaudible). And they call (inaudible) and him Poo.

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm so you guys start hanging out before it got dark and then how did this whole thing at Crystal Grove get going?

Davontay Wilcox: um.. it was kids over there by the park, by the little woods apartments and.. shoot, I asked (inaudible) can I used his phone, trying to call them.

Det. Russ Hurley: Which park you talking about?

Davontay Wilcox: um.. the.. it's like.. right around the corner from where the Lakeland Police car picked me up at.

Det. Russ Hurley: At Crystal Grove?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know.

Det. Russ Hurley: The park in Crystal Grove?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah right round.. it's like.. I was.. I was right here, soon as you walk out, the police stop me. It's a (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah I know where the park's at.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh I.. I thought you didn't know.

Det. Russ Hurley: So you guys were in the park earlier tonight?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Russ Hurley: Going by the park?

Davontay Wilcox: no.. listen, Crystal Woods is.. like beside the park. That's where I was at, tryin to get in contact with..

Det. Russ Hurley: So you.. you weren't in the park today?

Davontay Wilcox: there was kids all in the park.

Det. Brad Grice: Tell me about this guy. He said he wasn't.. he wasn't the driver. He said.. this ain't Domino but he was in the car with y'all.

Davontay Wilcox: Who?

Det. Brad Grice: This guy I showed you the picture.

Davontay Wilcox: Wait.. he said he ain't who?

Det. Brad Grice: He said that ain't Domino, he said but he was in the car with you.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh. Well it's.. see.. that's when..

Det. Brad Grice: You don't remember?

Davontay Wilcox: If Domino.. if..

Det. Brad Grice: So you think it's Domino..

Davontay Wilcox: No.

Det. Brad Grice: You just (inaudible).

Davontay Wilcox: I'm sayin'.. that's Domino friend.

Det. Brad Grice: This is Domino's friend?

Davontay Wilcox: cause Tavares was.. that's my (inaudible).

Det. Brad Grice: But this is.. he was in the car with you?

Davontay Wilcox: Now I can't just say, oh yeah, that's definitely somebody that was in the car but..

Det. Brad Grice: How can you not?

Davontay Wilcox: Because it's black and white, one, and then I wasn't just looking all around the car.

Det. Brad Grice: That don't make no sense man.

Davontay Wilcox: No you probably think I'm bull jiving but..

Det. Russ Hurley: where's Domino stay at?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know. I swear I wouldn't even give y'all a hard time. Y'all um.. detective.. well you the.. y'all the head so.. y'all under detective, um.. Mr., what's his name.. I forgot his name but he used to be in my um.. middle school. I wouldn't even do this.. lie to y'all or none of that. I'm here.. only to help y'all. (inaudible).

Det. Brad Grice: Well help us.. then help us by tellin' us who this guy is.

Davontay Wilcox: I don't wanna just say.. I don't know who he is at all. I ain't lying to you.

Det. Brad Grice: But you..

Davontay Wilcox: If I knew his name, I woulda gave it to you.

Det. Brad Grice: You believed he was in the car and now he's telling me that he wasn't in the car.

Davontay Wilcox: I believed that he was in the car and now I'm telling you that he wasn't?

Det. Brad Grice: No. You told me you thought that was Domino driving.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Brad Grice: And he says that he was in the car but he didn't think it was Domino.

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know. I'm..

Det. Brad Grice: But obviously both of y'all are putting him in the car with you.

Davontay Wilcox: But I don't know the name is what I'm trying to tell you.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay but he with.. he was with y'all when you got dropped off?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah but I don't know if that's his face. Can you hold that picture up?

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: Cause I can't just say this is who was in the car with me but.. but then I ain't.. how I even know?

Det. Brad Grice: Well it ain't that old of a picture.

Davontay Wilcox: I'm saying he ain't like he just was that same pose in the car.

Det. Brad Grice: So you was never in the parks?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Brad Grice: Is that what I caught?

Davontay Wilcox: I was behind 'em.. I don't know if it's Crystal Grove Wood, Crystal Wood..

Det. Brad Grice: have you ever been in the park?

Davontay Wilcox: I walked through the park earlier today.

Det. Brad Grice: You did?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: What time of day was that?

Davontay Wilcox: That's the only time I walked through there is to get to the woods.

Det. Brad Grice: To get to Carlos?

Davontay Wilcox: No Crystal Wood.

Det. Brad Grice: Crystal Wood.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah Carlos.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay so you cut through the park to get there?

Det. Russ Hurley: So it would've been right before you got stopped?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm I got stopped like..

Det. Russ Hurley: Well let me ask you this. you were going to Carlos's house, correct?

Davontay Wilcox: No I was looking for Carlos and Doobie and them because he said.. "oh my uncle stay in Crystal Wood, you can take the chick there" so I went out there thinking that's where they gonna be at. But.. they wasn't there. So I was waiting for them. I really wanted to use somebody phone but...

Det. Russ Hurley: Was anybody in the park when you come through there?

Davontay Wilcox: Not yet. There was people there later but not at that time.

Det. Russ Hurley: There was people at what time?

Davontay Wilcox: When I first walked through, wasn't nobody at the park.

Det. Russ Hurley: What time was that?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know what time it was but.. I know when Domino picked us up it was.. I don't know what the time.. but daylight saving.. Mmm-hmm. I don't know what time.. I can't tell you no time but.. (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: What time is it now?

Davontay Wilcox: I just looked at your watch like five minutes ago, so I probably (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: Probably like 2:30. Anything I can help you with like..

Det. Brad Grice: 2:30 this afternoon?

Det. Russ Hurley: No.. he's.. I asked him what time it was now..

Det. Brad Grice: Oh, oh.

Det. Russ Hurley: (inaudible).

Det. Brad Grice: What time.. I still ain't understood what time you walked through the park.

Det. Russ Hurley: I don't either.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh I don't know.. it ain't like I just walked through the park like with the exact time.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay. Well you got stopped at what? 11-ish?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. like just.. however long I been in here, right before that.

Det. Brad Grice: (inaudible).. so how long before that were you in.. passing through to the park?

Davontay Wilcox: Oh like.. a hour.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: Maybe a hour.

Det. Brad Grice: So.. if you got stopped.. let me see.. trying to see the times here.

Davontay Wilcox: I got stopped like a hour ago.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: A hour, two hours ago.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah you got.. got you stopped at 11-something.

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: And so a hour earlier, 10-something.

Davontay Wilcox: I didn't say that's when I walked through. I was sitting out there in Crystal Woods when I walked through the park and I waited and I waited and then that's when that situation (inaudible).. went on..

Det. Brad Grice: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: And then we sat there. Everybody came up out they doors and.. we all just..

Det. Brad Grice: How long had you been hanging on the porch?

Davontay Wilcox: I wasn't on the porch but I was like in front of his house so.. on his porch, on his sidewalk for like a hour and a half, two hours at the most.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay. so.. somewhere between 9-ish you sayin' you walked through there to get to his house?

Davontay Wilcox: It was day.. it was.. no it wasn't daytime, it was night time but.. it wasn't late though.

Det. Brad Grice: Mmm-hm.

Davontay Wilcox: So that's why I ain't trying to say no 10, 11 cause I don't think it was that late.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay. And when you walked through there, Tavares was with you?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm, not at the time.

Det. Brad Grice: Just you walked through. Well how did meet up with you?

Davontay Wilcox: After I heard that gun shot, I used somebody phone and then tried to call him and didn't get go contact. Then I tried to call my mama and then no contact so.. I called my mama phone back, I don't know who picked it up. Somebody answered it but it wasn't my mama and then I was (inaudible) somebody done shot a gun or whatever (inaudible) like that.

Det. Brad Grice: Who'd you talk you?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know who picked up the phone, that's what I'm trying to tell you cause I (inaudible) I was scared.. so scared.

Det. Brad Grice: Who'd you call?

Davontay Wilcox: my mom phone but it wasn't my mama..

Det. Brad Grice: But you don't know who picked it up.

Davontay Wilcox: Cause I went, "Hello, hello, ma?" and they was like, "This ain't your mama." "Who is this?" (inaudible)

Det. Brad Grice: What number did you call?

Davontay Wilcox: 709..

Det. Brad Grice: What is it?

Davontay Wilcox: [REDACTED]

Det. Brad Grice: And that's your mom's cell phone? So you called it right after you heard a gunshot?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: To come get you? but you don't know..

Davontay Wilcox: I called her to say, "Can you call Poo and see where Poo at?" cause..

Det. Brad Grice: Who's Poo?

Davontay Wilcox: I already told..

Det. Russ Hurley: Tavares.

Davontay Wilcox: My fault (inaudible)

Det. Russ Hurley: That's okay.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Det. Russ Hurley: So when you cut through the park and you were going to Carlos's house?

Davontay Wilcox: I was looking for it to find Carlos house cause I ain't know where in Crystal Wood he said his uncle stayed at.

Det. Russ Hurley: so you don't know where.. where Carlos lives?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Russ Hurley: But you were going to his house.

Davontay Wilcox: Cause he was like.. he was like, "Bro, you wanna go to Crystal Grove?" I'm like, "Why am I gonna go out there?" real deal. You can talk to Tysehia, that what my dog Poo told me, that's his cousin. And okay, it's cold, same thing with the party last night, ain't no girls gonna stay out in the cold. "Bro, you (inaudible) Carlos house, he stay out there in Crystal Wood." And that's how I heard about the little Crystal Wood thing.

Det. Russ Hurley: And you cut through the park to go try to find his house?

Davontay Wilcox: Cause I thought they was just gonna be out there at his uncle house.

Det. Russ Hurley: And you were by yourself when you cut through the park?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm and then..

Det. Russ Hurley: And did you go through the fence, around the fence, how'd you get back to the apartments?

Davontay Wilcox: It's a little short gate.. like..

Det. Russ Hurley: a gate? On the back side towards the apartments?

Davontay Wilcox: No when you cut across, you got a .. you can of through this.. you can come across this entrance and come outta there or you can come across down here some and I walked down so I had jump the gate and go over.

Det. Brad Grice: After this person answered the phone.. was it a guy or a girl?

Davontay Wilcox: It was a girl.

Det. Brad Grice: A girl.. Unknown female to you. you didn't know who it was, you didn't recognize her. Did you uh.. ever talk to your mom?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Brad Grice: She never gave you.. did she say you got the wrong number?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Brad Grice: Just said, "This ain't your mom."?

Davontay Wilcox: "This ain't your mom and then
(inaudible).

Det. Brad Grice: Okay. then where were you at when you
were doing that.. calling her?

Davontay Wilcox: back behind.. up like in between the
apartments cause it's people doing the same thing I'm doing
(inaudible).

Det. Brad Grice: Looking? You didn't see nothing?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible response)

Det. Brad Grice: How serious do you think it is.. somebody
shoot a police officer?

Davontay Wilcox: Serious cause when they killed the dog, I
mean, the rounds they put in that man by Kathleen..

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: That's what got me so..

Det. Brad Grice: And you ain't handled a firearm today?

Davontay Wilcox: Oh.. trust me.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah?

Davontay Wilcox: Trust me.

Det. Brad Grice: Were you with somebody that did?

Davontay Wilcox: No but that's what I'm saying, there was kids at the park, I heard a gunshot, that's why I tried to call my friend.

Det. Brad Grice: You heard.. you knew there were kids at the park?

Davontay Wilcox: 'Member? I told you I walked through.. nobody there.

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: Thirty minutes, forty five minutes later, there's people at the park.

Det. Brad Grice: You didn't know none of 'em?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Brad Grice: No? What'd they look like?

Davontay Wilcox: Just teenagers at the park. And I was (inaudible)..

Det. Brad Grice: What were they wearing?

Davontay Wilcox: Jackets.

Det. Brad Grice: What color?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know what color jacket..

Det. Brad Grice: Any of 'em have a red jacket like you?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know cause when they stop somebody out there, there's somebody with a red jacket, but they let 'me go.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah?

Davontay Wilcox: And..

Det. Brad Grice: What gang you affiliated with?

Davontay Wilcox: none.

Det. Brad Grice: None?

Davontay Wilcox: Every time they ask me, "are you a 'Hood Boy, you a Baby Soulja"

Det. Brad Grice: Well you.. you come up on.. the radar.

Davontay Wilcox: how?

Det. Brad Grice: I have no idea. You're affiliation with people..

Davontay Wilcox: I ain't never been arrested for gang banging.

Det. Brad Grice: Nothin?

Davontay Wilcox: I ain't never been (inaudible) gang banging. I ain't never been caught with a flag or bandana, that just how this city do.

Det. Brad Grice: (inaudible)

Davontay Wilcox: You.. they.. not y'all..

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: But the cops on the.. they'll stop you, "I know you're either with the Baby Soulja's or the 'Hood Boys". No..

Det. Brad Grice: Well here's the deal. Say.. let me just throw this little scenario out. Police officer gets killed and there's two or three people involved that's there.

Davontay Wilcox: I know.

Det. Brad Grice: There's only one person pulling the trigger.

Davontay Wilcox: I know.

Det. Brad Grice: Right?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir.

Det. Brad Grice: But if you ain't the one pulling the trigger, you're just as guilty by not coming forward and being with 'em. You understand that?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir. But I didn't see anything. I only heard..

Det. Brad Grice: I'm just telling you, if you were with the person that actually fired the firearm..

Davontay Wilcox: No I wasn't..

Det. Brad Grice: You can get in as much trouble as they can.

Davontay Wilcox: I know. Conspiracy or just (inaudible)

Det. Brad Grice: Well it can be accessory, it can be all kinds of things.

Davontay Wilcox: If Tavares and them pulled the trigger..

Det. Brad Grice: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: And we ain't that type of people, that's who I'm with..

Det. Brad Grice: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: I swear to God, if I was with somebody and they dumb enough to.. to take the gun and kill the police instead of throwing it down or.. running or something, I would.. I'll turn 'em in. I.. "Go bitch. (inaudible)" whatever it would cause in the 'hood.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah cause they ain't how you roll. Ain't nobody.. I won't kill no police officer, no. I wouldn't even sit here and help them, I wouldn't hide them.

Det. Brad Grice: So if you withhold information and it turns out that you were with the person that actually did this, you know what's gonna happen to you, don't you?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah. Like.. what do you mean.. gonna happen to me?

Det. Brad Grice: Did you just hear what I said?

Davontay Wilcox: Can you say it again?

Det. Brad Grice: If it turns out that you have withheld information from us that you were with the person..

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible)

Det. Brad Grice: .. that shot this police officer, you know what's gonna happen to you?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes sir. I just had to make sure I understand everything you said.

Det. Brad Grice: So you understand all that?

Davontay Wilcox: Besides in the car?

Det. Brad Grice: Whatever.

Davontay Wilcox: Cause.. in the car, I didn't know if I was.. if that's him or not. I'm getting a ride.

Det. Brad Grice: Well..

Davontay Wilcox: How am I responsible (inaudible)..

Det. Brad Grice: But if this guy was involved in it.. and you knew something about it and you didn't tell us right now.. we're coming after you.

Davontay Wilcox: You're gonna come after me but I didn't see anything. I only heard something. If I'd have seen it, I'd be giving y'all what I seen. I only heard it and panic, that's what I'm trying to say.

Det. Russ Hurley: When.. when you heard it, did you run?

Davontay Wilcox: I like.. didn't know.. I ain't really run cause I ain't had nowhere to run. And I asked a lady can I use her phone.

Det. Russ Hurley: What lady?

Davontay Wilcox: It was a lady out there that we peeking around the corner.

Det. Brad Grice: At the apartment's out there? Cell phone or personal phone?

Davontay Wilcox: It probably was a cell phone cause I thought it was a personal phone.

Det. Russ Hurley: Was she black, white, what?

Davontay Wilcox: She was light skinned I think.

Det. Russ Hurley: Black girl? Light skinned black girl? About.. you know about how old?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm.. probably.. I don't know.. about 20. Not 20 but 20-something.

Det. Russ Hurley: Who was with you when you used her phone?

Davontay Wilcox: uh..

Det. Russ Hurley: Nobody? You were by yourself?

Davontay Wilcox: It was people like.. who was running but they wasn't running my way but..

Det. Russ Hurley: who was running?

Davontay Wilcox: It was like.. two people with me.. sittin' right here, peeping around the corner and then these kids was at the park running..

Det. Brad Grice: who can give you an alibi that you were somewhere else when them shots were fired.. or when that shot was fired?

Davontay Wilcox: Um..

Det. Brad Grice: Who? Who can we go talk to right now..

Davontay Wilcox: I'm just trying to see right now.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. I don't know if you can talk to Carlos and he can tell you that earlier he.. I was.. I'm out the door

like.. just chillin' (inaudible). I ain't gonna kill your officer, I promise. I ain't that type of person.

Det. Brad Grice: All right. Tavares will know who Carlos is, right?

Davontay Wilcox: He knows who Carlos is?

Det. Brad Grice: Would he know?

Davontay Wilcox: Doobie told me that was his uncle. I don't know if he told Poo.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: But..

Det. Brad Grice: Who knew.. who knows Doobie good?

Davontay Wilcox: Tavares.. well I know somebody else like.. who might know Doobie good. I don't.. Doobie might be his real name cause he a say Doobie Bruce.. like Doobie Bruce on his Facebook page. I don't know if that's..

Det. Brad Grice: Doobie Bruce? Okay. (inaudible) if he uh.. can help us on that. So we could pull up Facebook and maybe show you a picture and you say, that's Doobie?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay. we're gonna get some.. you okay just chillin' here for a minute?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm. Is he leaving?

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah he's gonna (inaudible).

Davontay Wilcox: .. cause I wasn't finished even talking.

Det. Brad Grice: What else you got?

Davontay Wilcox: We were still talking before you came back.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay well y'all can keep on talking then if you got something else to say. I'll go check on this, okay and try to get his picture.

Det. Russ Hurley: So.. a minute ago you said that you and two other guys ran along with the people.. not a lot but..

Davontay Wilcox: No I said, two people beside me peeking around the corner.

Det. Russ Hurley: and who were they?

Davontay Wilcox: It was the lady who phone I asked to use and I don't know if it was probably her daughter, her friend, her sister but she was smaller like.. she wasn't young like a baby but.. teenage, coulda been twenty two but she just was skinny and the other one was more heavy boned'd.

Det. Russ Hurley: Where.. that light skinned black girl was.. was that by where you were stopped?

Davontay Wilcox: Was it who?

Det. Russ Hurley: by where you were stopped?

Davontay Wilcox: it's like.. she stay probably.. she probably.. it was by where I was stopped but I don't know where she stay at in there.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay you.. so you don't know if she didn't come out of a house or nothing?

Davontay Wilcox: She was just on the sidewalk.. her and the other girl with they phone.

Det. Russ Hurley: Just hanging out?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible) everybody.. me and her went to the same little.. to the same little just look.. everybody running around.

Det. Russ Hurley: Did you see what.. what happened?

Davontay Wilcox: They.. I heard it and didn't look over (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: Which way did the people that were there run?

Davontay Wilcox: Some people was jumping the gate.. really everybody.. they all went the same way.

Det. Russ Hurley: Did they? Which way was that?

Davontay Wilcox: Cause at first.. um.. at first it just seemed.. I looked and seen everybody moving and then you see some people going (inaudible) some people walking away, like they

ain't running like.. "oh my God" walking and.. but.. boy, looked around the corner, that was crazy.

Det. Russ Hurley: So you didn't see which way they ran? Did they run in your direction?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible response)

Det. Russ Hurley: Yes? They run by you?

Davontay Wilcox: um I had.. got on the phone like.. I looked and then I seen everybody moving and then I asked the lady can I use her phone and she let me use it and I was trying to call Bro.. and meet up with him.

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm. Who were you trying to call?

Davontay Wilcox: Tavares.

Det. Russ Hurley: Tavares? So Tavares.. where was.. you don't know where he was at?

Davontay Wilcox: he was in the Grove... I think.

Det. Russ Hurley: Somewhere?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: how did y'all get separated?

Davontay Wilcox: Remember I told you in the car?

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm. You said he mighta went to the store or somethin but there aren't no stores out there.

Davontay Wilcox: There stores.

Det. Russ Hurley: Where?

Davontay Wilcox: It's probably a bootlegger then.

Det. Russ Hurley: And then you guys got dropped off at the same place at Windover, correct?

Davontay Wilcox: No I did and then he was supposed to be going (inaudible)..

Det. Russ Hurley: he stayed in the car?

Davontay Wilcox: to get a blunt or a Black or something. I think.

Det. Russ Hurley: And there wasn't no specific place you were gonna meet up with him?

Davontay Wilcox: At the Grove.

Det. Russ Hurley: At the park?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm. Just the Grove, Doobie said I'ma stay out there. Really.. you can't go anonymous?

Det. Russ Hurley: Hmm?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: As whoever that was like.. who be giving us rides and stuff like.. they be having guns like.. y'all.. I ain't.. tryin to.. I ain't see nothing..

Det. Russ Hurley: Look..

Davontay Wilcox: I woulda told you if I'da seen it. this woulda helped me with all this jittering and stuff but I didn't see nothing. That's the only thing that's messing me up like.. it's gonna get me cased up. All.. I can see it now.

Det. Russ Hurley: well.. it's like.. Detective Grice said, you know.. it.. this is your opportunity. If you know something, you need to tell it now otherwise you're gonna be going down with them two. Okay and I'm not saying that to scare you..

Davontay Wilcox: Nah..

Det. Russ Hurley: cause I mean you know this is some serious business, right? So I mean if you know something, now is your opportunity, if you didn't pull the trigger.. you need to tell us who did.

Davontay Wilcox: That's what I'm trying to tell you. I'm.. you can't hear me saying it? That's why I wanna.. I wanna tell you.

Det. Russ Hurley: well tell me who pulled the trigger.

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know. But I know it wasn't me or Tavares because we didn't have no gun.

Det. Russ Hurley: Was it one of the other guys in the car with you?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah because I told.. well I ain't tell you.. well I told you, not you. they had guns.. well they had..

Det. Russ Hurley: Who all had guns?

Davontay Wilcox: Just.. either the driver.. I don't know if.. whoever on the picture, I can't say it's him but that's who I.. I don't know him and then I don't know Domino, who they say who car it is, I don't know them.

Det. Russ Hurley: Who.. how many.. okay..

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: Let's.. let's back up a minute. You.. and Poo were in a car. Who else was in the car?

Davontay Wilcox: Like.. seven of us.

Det. Russ Hurley: Seven people in an Impala?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah like five in the backseat like.. one person almost on another, another (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: All right, do you know any other street names or who they are?

Davontay Wilcox: Just.. um.. my friend Doobie..

Det. Russ Hurley: Doobie was in the car?

Det. Brad Grice: He's driving, right?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Brad Grice: He ain't driving?

Davontay Wilcox: Doobie.

Det. Brad Grice: I thought Doobie was driving.

Davontay Wilcox: That's Domino..

Det. Brad Grice: Domino, okay.

Det. Russ Hurley: And so Domino was in the car cause he was driving, right?

Davontay Wilcox: And whoever the passenger is.. is..

Det. Russ Hurley: the front passenger?

Davontay Wilcox: It's.. with Domino because (inaudible) like I ain't never really seen 'em.

Det. Russ Hurley: You never seen 'em before?

Davontay Wilcox: And.. it's some dude in the back seat. I seen him around.. quarters and all that but I ain't never seen Domino and then.. I don't know if this is Domino or.. the dude in the passenger seat.

Det. Brad Grice: We got 'em trying to pull.. we need to confirm that. Can you.. she's out here if we can do that real quick.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Det. Brad Grice: Tavares already..

Det. Russ Hurley: You mind giving us some DNA?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: They just.. they'll swab the inside of your mouth.

Det. Brad Grice: You good to go ahead and do it now?

Det. Russ Hurley: yeah.. yeah... Okay basically this is saying um.. you want me to read it to you? Okay. "I, Davontay Wilcox, hereby voluntarily give my permission for a member of The Lakeland Police Department or it's authorized agent to take oral buccal swabs from me." And that's just they take these q-tips and rub all inside your mouth, okay? "I give this consent freely and voluntarily without.. compulsion.."

Davontay Wilcox: "threat"

Det. Russ Hurley: Is that what it is says.. "Threat or promise of any kind. I understand my constitutional rights to refuse to provide the oral buccal swabs without a search warrant and it is my intentions to fully and completely waive such rights by this consent." In other words, you don't have to give it to us if you don't want to.

Davontay Wilcox: I'm gonna let you do it.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: What is it for?

Det. Russ Hurley: It's just so we'll have it just in case this case.. we get some DNA we can compare.

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible) let you do it.

Det. Russ Hurley: "It is my understanding that the oral buccal swabs are to be used in a criminal investigation" which is this, the officer being shot. "That is being connected by the Lakeland.. or conducted by the Lakeland Police Department or any other law enforcement agency." You understand that?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible response)

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay would you sign right there for me?

Davontay Wilcox: .. 'posed to be a T.

Det. Russ Hurley: Thank you bud.

Davontay Wilcox: (burps) excuse me.

CST Jean Gardner: Burpy.. burpy downstairs, burpy up here. All I'm gonna do is I got some cotton swabs here. I'm just gonna run it through inside of your cheek.

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

CST Jean Gardner: (inaudible) for me.

Det. Russ Hurley: Thank you.

CST Jean Gardner: You're welcome.

Det. Russ Hurley: Appreciate it, ma'am. Okay so in the car, we got Doobie, Domino, you, um.. Poo, that's four. And you said there was what, four more people in there?

Davontay Wilcox: Probably.. it was like seven of us cause like..

Det. Russ Hurley: So three more.

Davontay Wilcox: Cause just imagine the backseat (inaudible) one person on our lap like.. so there was like six or seven people.

Det. Russ Hurley: but you don't know their names or who all they are? Who would know? Doobie? Or Domino?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. Do- I don't know.. Domino.. if you could find out if Domino who I'm picture.. that'll probably help.

Det. Russ Hurley: And..

Davontay Wilcox: And I ain't.. I don't wanna.. I really just wanna talk to you so.. cause he trying to confuse me and I know..

Det. Russ Hurley: He's not trying to confuse you. He's a nice guy.

Davontay Wilcox: Well he just trying to do his job so.. I'm just.

Det. Russ Hurley: Well we're both trying to do our job.

Davontay Wilcox: Where I'm from like.. I don't know.. I know somebody cause.. I put.. you can put two and two together

easy like.. I don't know but.. I don't wanna just say (inaudible) just.. bam, say.. but once you like.. get the picture with a name and I can tell you who.. and who had the gun and everything in the car, but.. I already know my name be in black and whites.

Det. Russ Hurley: Let.. let me ask you this. Who.. who had the gun?

Davontay Wilcox: They.. the driver was passing it with the passenger like..

Det. Russ Hurley: there was only one gun in the car?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: What kinda gun was it?

Davontay Wilcox: well I don't know if it was the only gun but it's..

Det. Russ Hurley: the only one you saw?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay the only gun you saw, what kinda gun was it?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know it was pretty big but..

Det. Russ Hurley: Pretty big?

Davontay Wilcox: I ain't.. it was like.. I don't know what type of gun it was. You can check my fingerprint, anything, I ain't

touch it. I ain't that type of dude. I was just getting a ride. I ain't.. they asked me if I wanna go to the Grove..

Det. Russ Hurley: So who was the front passenger?

Davontay Wilcox: That's what I'm not sure but..

Det. Russ Hurley: You didn't hear him call him by his street name or anything?

Davontay Wilcox: I know.. I don't know if Domino.. is he... one of the driver or the passenger but..

Det. Russ Hurley: So you don't know Domino, was he the driver or the passenger, you just don't know which.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: Will Tavares know?

Davontay Wilcox: He should because he really was the one getting left when we was fittin' to pull off and then the um.. Doobie and them was like.. "What you.. what you gonna do?" and that's when he just got in. That's another (inaudible). Me and him don't even.. ain't even 'posed to.. what a coincidence I'm on this side of (inaudible). Now I got him in here.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.. well.. like I said, you know.. the big thing here is there was three people out there, only one shot and if you're one of the three out there, you just need to be honest with us.

Davontay Wilcox: no.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay? because um.. you know, you match the description and where they caught you is exactly where the person ran.

Davontay Wilcox: I know but they said.. they even let somebody out of a car like.. they.. (inaudible) say that that was me but.. that could be him. That could be the.. killer (inaudible) I wasn't.. doing this to you.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: And I know you prob'ly like.. "that the dude (inaudible)" I ain't no (inaudible).. Mmm-umm. I ain't murder nobody and I ain't..

Det. Russ Hurley: (inaudible). No.. I'm not.. you know, they didn't find a gun on you, you know so I mean..

Davontay Wilcox: No. Anybody can ditch a gun.

Det. Russ Hurley: I honestly believe you were there to be perfectly honest with you.

Davontay Wilcox: No I was.. that's basically right there. I just.. turned my head at the wrong time.. cause..

Det. Russ Hurley: I'm sorry, what'd you just say?

Davontay Wilcox: I turned my head at the wrong time.

Det. Russ Hurley: what do you mean?

Davontay Wilcox: If I'da just.. been standing, walking around looking.. at the park like all the other kids do, just chillin'.. I woulda been there, I woulda seen everything.

Det. Russ Hurley: Just.. I..

Davontay Wilcox: Talk to me.

Det. Russ Hurley: Well..

Davontay Wilcox: You gotta help me, I'm young.

Det. Russ Hurley: I know and.. and..

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible) hard.

Det. Russ Hurley: I don't know what else to tell you. Okay?
I mean.. you know all..

Davontay Wilcox: I just wanna help you find the killer. I ain't your killer.

Det. Russ Hurley: I understand that, okay, I understand that. And I understand your concern that your name's gonna be in black and white. I understand all that, trust me. I worked in your neighborhood's my entire career. I know exactly how it goes there. But let me ask you this.. okay, would you rather your name be in black and white.. all right, as.. a killer..

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible)

Det. Russ Hurley: or as a witness? Because like I said, this is your only opportunity to be straight with us. If.. if we let you go here and we do our investigation and we get back evidence and we

prove that you're there, then you're gonna be in a world of problems. Even if you didn't pull the trigger cause you had your opportunity today to be honest with us and tell us what you saw. You follow me? and I'm not saying that to scare you..

Davontay Wilcox: I know.

Det. Russ Hurley: Cause I know there's alotta young men like.. such as yourself, I mean you're eighteen years old, that's young. Young, young, young. Okay? But you.. what you have to understand is if you didn't shoot the man, then you need to help us because if not, then you're just as guilty as the shooter and... you're gonna spend the rest of your life in prison.

Davontay Wilcox: I know you probably think, well they.. we always do the same thing. Come in here..

Det. Russ Hurley: No.. no.

Davontay Wilcox: say a story. I probably switched it around a little bit but I didn't see nothing still.

Det. Russ Hurley: Here, here, here.. listen to me, okay? I understand what's going on here, okay? I've been doing this for twenty six years.

Davontay Wilcox: I know.

Det. Russ Hurley: And I have interviewed tens of thousands..

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible) that you know that I know.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.. I been interviewing tens of thousands of people so I know when people are straight with me and when they're not straight with me. Okay?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Russ Hurley: I know that, okay? Am I a hundred percent positive? No. No.. and I might not know what you're lying to me about but I know when you're lying. Okay and it's just.. it's just.. and you know it's like when you talk to your buddies..

Davontay Wilcox: I know you can tell..

Det. Russ Hurley: You always can tell when somebody's lying.

Davontay Wilcox: So I mean..

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay and that.. that's what.. that's what concerns me here because you are a young man and I don't want you to piss your life away.

Davontay Wilcox: And I ain't trying to piss my life away.

Det. Russ Hurley: You know..

Davontay Wilcox: My sister pissed her life away and now I'm raising her.. my niece..

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: Who thinks I'm her daddy.

Det. Russ Hurley: But the problem is.. is when we hang around people that we probably shouldn't hang around with and shit goes bad like if definitely went tonight.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: Why should you have to pay that price?

Davontay Wilcox: That's why I'm trying to help you find him. That's why.. I wanted that.. that's why I wanna help you find him.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah. So um.. so tell me who was in the park with you.

Davontay Wilcox: I wasn't in the park with them. It was just people in the park.

Det. Russ Hurley: who was in the park?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know if.. that's why you gotta get the driver and Domino.. you gotta..

Det. Russ Hurley: Well I need you to help me to find those guys.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh.. man.

Det. Russ Hurley: Can you describe them to me?

Davontay Wilcox: Who?

Det. Russ Hurley: who was in the park?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. describe 'em like what.. like..

Det. Russ Hurley: Like who you saw in the park.

Davontay Wilcox: It was just teenagers like.. kids with jackets and.. just pants.

Det. Russ Hurley: Wasn't none of the guys that were in the car with you?

Davontay Wilcox: um... I don't know if one of the dudes from the front seat was.. up there.

Det. Russ Hurley: You don't know if they were in the park?

Davontay Wilcox: This is what I know, okay, remember I told you I wanted to talk to you?

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: Okay. Well not (inaudible) wanna talk to you, I ain't tell you that so you don't remember that.

Det. Russ Hurley: I know what you're saying.. I know what you're saying.

Davontay Wilcox: Remember when I told you that I.. mighta mixed it up. I did mix it around cause when you asked me a question, it just.. (inaudible) and I know could be sitting here, throwing my life away telling you that.. I.. mixed my story up cause everything on camera and being recorded right now like.. that's why all.. anything and gonna be used against me but my mama always taught me, shit.. well not me cause but.. it's gonna.. it'll eat you up if you hold something back like.. and I ain't.. like I said, I ain't see

but.. when I step through, I seen.. either the driver or the passenger.. running. But it's other people running to but.. I know for a fact one of them was running.

Det. Russ Hurley: And you don't know what their street name is or their first name or anything?

Davontay Wilcox: It.. that's why I said it could be Domino or it could be.. the other.. the other.

Det. Russ Hurley: And you think Domino is his true name?

Davontay Wilcox: But I don't think Domino did it cause he was just giving us a ride. That's what I'm trying.. where was his car at? Why n o car wasn't out there and all that?

Det. Russ Hurley: Right.. right, right.

Davontay Wilcox: That's what I'm..

Det. Russ Hurley: So you think it was the other guy but you don't know who he is or what his name is?

Davontay Wilcox: And..

Det. Russ Hurley: Or where he stays at or anything, how old he is?

Davontay Wilcox: I know he like.. he was just telling us he missed court, all this junk like that.

Det. Russ Hurley: So he's got warrants out.

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible) have a warrant, all this junk. He was telling us.. or tellin' them and then he was like, "Y'all think I got a warrant?" (inaudible) "You got a warrant, you ain't go to court, you got a warrant."

Det. Russ Hurley: Did he say when he had court or what it was for?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm. he ain't tell me what it was for. But I know he kept wanting to rob people and stuff like that.

Det. Russ Hurley: He kept wanting to rob people?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah like.. when they first was in the car, he just wanted to.. and I always do this when I get in trouble. I don't wanna talk with two people.. cause I just like.. I just pick the detective I wanna talk to. I know you're probably like, 'yeah it ain't up to you' but..

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah well we do that for our protection and yours too. It's.. that way you know there's three people and there's not just.. my word against yours or your word against ours.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah (inaudible)

Det. Russ Hurley: or anything like that. There's always.. a witness and you know what I mean? So that's why we do that and he'll probably be coming back here in a minute. Um so the.. the guy that was in the car with the gun had warrants out and he wanted to rob somebody.

Davontay Wilcox: Basically.

Det. Russ Hurley: How tall was he?

Davontay Wilcox: he was small.. he was short.

Det. Russ Hurley: Short? Like about how tall you think?

Davontay Wilcox: Like.. I don't know how to call that out but..

Det. Russ Hurley: How tall are you?

Davontay Wilcox: I'm like 5'9".. 5'10".

Det. Russ Hurley: And he was shorter than you?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.. like.. probably my chest.

Det. Russ Hurley: Real short then.

Davontay Wilcox: Small guy.

Det. Russ Hurley: Do you know how old he was?

Davontay Wilcox: He probably was 17, 18 because.. that's just our age range.

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm. Did he say where he went to school or anything?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm. but (inaudible) this sound so crazy coming out my mouth.. if y'all let me help y'all, I can.. and.. cause I can't.. I can't.. just.. I can't.. I can't live with nobody.. just a couple days ago, right outside somebody got shot up.. shot down..

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: And they.. doin the same thing to my mama right now, investigating to try to see.. she trying to help them find the shooter for him.

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.. Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: This same exact thing.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: Detectives come..

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah I know who your mom is, I spoke to your mom before. Um.. okay so.. so.. he's up to your chest, so if you're 5'9" so he must be about five foot maybe?

Davontay Wilcox: Hmm.. uh can I stand up?

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: What you think this is like..

Det. Russ Hurley: Let me see.. I'm six foot.. so I'm a little taller than you. I'd probably say.. how tall would you say this is?

Det. Brad Grice: What is he?

Davontay Wilcox: I'm like 5'9", 5'10".

Det. Russ Hurley: he said the dude is about this tall.

Davontay Wilcox: He like right here.

Det. Brad Grice: (inaudible)

Det. Russ Hurley: 5'1"?

Det. Brad Grice: dang.. yeah 5'1"..2". Who is that supposed to be?

Det. Russ Hurley: the guy that was.. had a gun in the car with 'em.

Det. Brad Grice: What's his name?

Det. Russ Hurley: He don't know his name.

Det. Brad Grice: Oh.. let me go through this real.. you know that is?

Davontay Wilcox: Doobie.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay. You know who that is?

Davontay Wilcox: That's little Mario.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay was he with 'em?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm. His mama getting real strict on him.. (inaudible).

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: made him move to Orlando.. come down here on breaks.

Det. Brad Grice: Now as of.. last month, Doobie was living in Crystal Grove.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh.. well maybe.. call up.. I don't know man..

Det. Brad Grice: Okay. What have we got for trying to ID..

Det. Russ Hurley: Um he was..

Det. Brad Grice: He was in the car?

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah well he was.. he was saying the he.. Domino was in the car but he don't know if Domino was the driver or the passenger. Domino and the driver or the passenger were passing a gun back and forth. There was only one gun that he saw and they were in the park when you cut through there, correct?

Davontay Wilcox: No not when I cut through there. There wasn't nobody at the park when I cut through.

Det. Russ Hurley: they were.. okay when you heard the gunshots and you looked, they were in the park?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.. yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: And they were running?

Det. Brad Grice: How many were they?

Davontay Wilcox: It was just.. it was different kids like.. it was like.. what.. like..

Det. Brad Grice: Who of 'em.. which ones ran back to you.. your direction?

Davontay Wilcox: The.. the person who did it.

Det. Brad Grice: The person who did it?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: And who was that?

Davontay Wilcox: That's what me and him trying to figure out.

Det. Brad Grice: But he was..

Davontay Wilcox: It was the driver or the passenger.

Det. Brad Grice: He was with these guys? Was..

Davontay Wilcox: No.

Det. Brad Grice: Doobie, I'm talking..

Davontay Wilcox: They was gone. Naw, I ain't see them..

Det. Brad Grice: Doobie wasn't out there?

Davontay Wilcox: If he was out there, I don't know if he was at the house, at Carlos, I don't know.

Det. Brad Grice: What about this guy I been showin you this picture of.

Davontay Wilcox: That's what we trying to figure out if.. cause if he's the driver, then it ain't him. But if he was in the passenger seat, then that's him.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay so we need to indentify Domino?

Davontay Wilcox: See.. Domino.. it's Domino's car.. so and.. that's Domino the driver, he didn't.. it couldn't have been him because..

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: .. he just was giving a ride but.. if that's not Domino, then that's the only other guy.

Det. Brad Grice: You saw that guy shoot him?

Davontay Wilcox: no.

Det. Brad Grice: Is that what you're sayin?

Davontay Wilcox: No. I heard it...

Det. Brad Grice: Then how..

Davontay Wilcox: And then.. when I..

Det. Brad Grice: When you looked out, he was the one running from it? And he was wearin the same clothes that he was when he was in the car with you?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't even know what he had on in the car.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay so it's either Domino.. or it's his passenger.

Davontay Wilcox: It's his passenger but I don't know.. I didn't know Domino name. All I know is everybody say this Domino car.

Det. Brad Grice: All right. You good?

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: I mean that's why I wanna only talk to you cause now he's like...

Det. Russ Hurley: He's all right man, trust me, he's a good dude. Yeah..

Davontay Wilcox: Me and Tavares, he.. is.. he's.. like.. don't even tell him I said, he's slow and I already know now that he probably..

Det. Russ Hurley: Well let me ask you this, how did Tavares get all skinned up?

Davontay Wilcox: Oh he skinned up?

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh see? I told you.. I tried to call but I know.. pshh that if he was running.. I don't know if he was running cause he heard it, when he heard it, from it or.. but I know who had.. who had a gun and I know we didn't go with a gun and we ain't that type.. well I don't know what type of person he is deep, deep down inside, but I know.. I hope he ain't do that.

Det. Russ Hurley: Who, Tavares?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah I know..

Det. Russ Hurley: You think he did it?

Davontay Wilcox: No. he wont even fight. He let people like.. I told you.. people..

Det. Russ Hurley: well let me ask you this.. I understand that but do you think he'd let some other guys.. pump his nuts up and get him to do something like that?

Davontay Wilcox: Pshh.. what? No.

Det. Russ Hurley: No?

Davontay Wilcox: They was just picking on him last night cause the police.. look we (inaudible) candy and stuff so people try to use our porch as an excuse when the police ride by. He was just telling `em, you can't be running up in here and all that junk like that. ain't lying cause he go with my mama but she says.. well.. see my mama.. see.. you don't need my childhood. Oh its just..it crazy stuff like.. he used to be my best friend and.. I guess like when I wasn't around, okay my mama was talking and all that but they started dating and all that junk like that. My mama forty two but she look young like real young..

Det. Russ Hurley: And she likes younger guys..

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: I know that from..

Davontay Wilcox: the past..

Det. Russ Hurley: A couple cases in the past.

Davontay Wilcox: And it's.. the only little.. she picked him she said cause she was tired of young, rowdy, all that junk like that and she want somebody quiet. And we used to come to my house, he always just be sittin' on the porch quiet but.. he quiet cause he kinda slow.

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: But he don't.. my dawg don't look slow or nothing, still my best friend. He don't look.. and he don't really act slow and might not be slow but I know.. every now and then I catch him on a slow moment like.. he 'posed to be on medicine.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah. Does he go to school.. did he go to school?

Davontay Wilcox: He got kicked out too.

Det. Russ Hurley: Did he? You guys need to get your education man..

Davontay Wilcox: I know..

Det. Russ Hurley: There ain't much future without an education. Is that little Mario the one that used to live out there in Skyview?

Davontay Wilcox: The other one? He probably did. Little Mario probably did stay on..

Det. Russ Hurley: His.. his first name's like DeMar.. Demario or something like that? No?

Davontay Wilcox: This is (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: Young guys, man.

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Russ Hurley: You all right?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Russ Hurley: Need something to drink or anything?

Davontay Wilcox: Uh.. probably a water or something. Can I ask you one thing?

Det. Russ Hurley: Sure.

Davontay Wilcox: Am I going to jail tonight?

Det. Russ Hurley: I don't know to be honest with you.. cause.. cause we have a guy that identified you as one of the three that ran away from there. And you know, they're gonna.. it'll probably be morning before they get footprints and all that from that area and all that. And if your footprints are there.. you're gonna have some problems.

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Russ Hurley: You know that's why I say it's.. now's a good time if you know something. Cause we know there was three people that were there and three people that fled.

Davontay Wilcox: it wasn't three people at the park. I can tell you that right now.

Det. Russ Hurley: There was three people there cause an officer went out with three people and then the witness that saw it go down said there was three people.

Davontay Wilcox: Officer went out?

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: With the three people?

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: Like can you tell me.. I ain't trying to be funny..

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah, another officer said, "I'll be out at the park with three.."

Davontay Wilcox: Oh..

Det. Russ Hurley: "suspicious males." So and that's exactly how many the witness.. there was a witness right across the street.

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible) telling you right now, that witness pointed me wrong. I promise you.

Det. Russ Hurley: Well that's our job to find out.

Davontay Wilcox: I know. and then.. even if I do.. they say something about this, remember now my friend back in the days.. well not back in the days but.. recently like this year, last year, some went on over there by Lakeland Police Department and it was like white people versus black people like.. skateboard type people though and it was fighting and.. uh one of my friends was stomping on a police car.. no was stomping a white people car and he had on Polo boots, size 8 and another one of my friends got investigated for the same shoe, same size. But that was petty.. cause they just wanted to know who cracked the dude in the head with a skateboard.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah. I know what you're talking about, I remember that case. Now this is uh.. this is (inaudible).

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible) that is... Kyle.

Det. Russ Hurley: Kyle?

Davontay Wilcox: Kyle.

Det. Russ Hurley: is the guy's name?

Davontay Wilcox: Yes, Kyle. And I don't know what.. seem like I just (inaudible) in reality.

Det. Russ Hurley: And that's his first name?

Davontay Wilcox: Kyle. Domino, Kyle.. I'm trying to think of all them.. cause I was just thinking of all the names I heard people sayin'. And when he was.. talkin' about robbin' the pizza dude, somebody was like, "Kyle, man you trippin'."

Det. Russ Hurley: And Kyle's the one that was wanting to rob everybody?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm. I ain't even 'posed to be in this dang neighborhood, man, watchin' nothing.. nothing.

Det. Russ Hurley: And he was the one with the gun?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: Well they're.. still working on it.

Det. Russ Hurley: the guy's first name's Kyle.

Det. Brad Grice: Is who?

Det. Russ Hurley: The short guy.. the one with the gun. (inaudible) the name and see if you can pull..

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah. Are you calling me?

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah I just sent you a text, said his name is Kyle.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay what do I.. what do we know about him?

Det. Russ Hurley: Just that he's short.. he's about seventeen or eighteen, correct? What kinda hairstyle?

Davontay Wilcox: Cut..

Det. Russ Hurley: Just low cut?

Det. Brad Grice: Hey did y'all stop to get gas.. at all?
Coming or going, whatever? nothing?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know.. they ain't get gas.

Det. Brad Grice: Never? Okay. Now that's a little bit bigger
picture.. of that one guy.

Davontay Wilcox: That the same pic?

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah its just bigger, just a little bit.

Davontay Wilcox: Is (inaudible)?

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh I ain't wanna look at the name.

Det. Brad Grice: Well.. you're saying..

Davontay Wilcox: Did it say Kyle?

Det. Brad Grice: Huh?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible)name say Kyle?

Det. Brad Grice: that ain't Kyle.

Davontay Wilcox: Who is this?

Det. Brad Grice: His name's Dino.

Davontay Wilcox: I'm just gonna look at it.

Det. Brad Grice: His name's Dino.

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm. I don't know I can't just.. man, cause the dude I know for a fact his name was Kyle.

Det. Brad Grice: Right. But this ain't Domino?

Davontay Wilcox: Oh.. Dino, Domino... I don't know..

Det. Brad Grice: No?

Davontay Wilcox: Now I'm confused.. but I was.. trying to help y'all.

Det. Brad Grice: Well this is very important.

Davontay Wilcox: I know it is..

Det. Brad Grice: You know, we need to do this.. ASAP.

Davontay Wilcox: I know, when you leave..every time you leave out.. I'm just talking to him more and more..

Det. Brad Grice: You think it's the.. I understand.

Davontay Wilcox: I know.

Det. Brad Grice: I understand, things are hittin' so we just.. we just need to get on the right track here and do the right thing.

Davontay Wilcox: I just wish y'all come at us.. y'all at us a different way.

Det. Brad Grice: how.. how could we?

Det. Russ Hurley: what you mean?

Davontay Wilcox: I wish y'all.. approach up different so we can help y'all. It's like.. when y'all first approached.. like.. not y'all, it really was them. but y'all scare us like..

Det. Russ Hurley: well.. (inaudible)

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible) we can.. y'all helping us, it's like we.. like we did it.

Det. Russ Hurley: Let me ask you this.

Davontay Wilcox: That's why we don't go and just.. now on, because they um..

Det. Russ Hurley: You have to understand though, those officers are responding to an officer who just got shot.

Davontay Wilcox: I know.

Det. Russ Hurley: You know what I mean so they're gonna be aggressive and they're gonna be cautious., you know what I mean?

Davontay Wilcox: Right.

Det. Russ Hurley: It's just like we had a.. the witness call.. when I got there, they had him at gunpoint.

Davontay Wilcox: Listen.. listen I ain't see nothing. But.. I heard.. I was in the park, I didn't see nothing at all but I heard and

.. soon as I turned my head, I see.. Kyle with his gun and he running and I know how people will think, "Oh everybody gonna tell.. wanna shoot everybody" that's the only reason I ran. That's probably why me..

Det. Brad Grice: But you were up there near there because witnesses are describing you running.. going through the fence down there.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh.. well..

Det. Brad Grice: Is that right?

Davontay Wilcox: That's probably why.

Det. Brad Grice: And who was with you?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know, I ain't run.. I was by myself running.

Det. Brad Grice: Which way did you run then?

Davontay Wilcox: Um well I wasn't by myself running but..

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: Ev- like.. some people hit the gate... some people..

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: ...went through the hole.. they ain't nobody run that way. Everybody just ran that way.

Det. Brad Grice: Where did Kyle run?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. he jumped and then he was.. he jumped the gate. I landed like..

Det. Brad Grice: Who jumped the gate?

Davontay Wilcox: Every.. all.. they.. almost everybody hit the gate.

Det. Brad Grice: All right.

Davontay Wilcox: Some people went.. I think it's a little opening down there. And..

Det. Brad Grice: Listen.. help me out right now.

Davontay Wilcox: Listen I.. I..

Det. Brad Grice: (inaudible)

Davontay Wilcox: This (inaudible)

Det. Brad Grice: Is Kyle the one that shot that officer?

Davontay Wilcox: That's what I'm trying.. I already told him that.

Det. Brad Grice: He.. he did it?

Davontay Wilcox: He did it.

Det. Brad Grice: What do you..

Davontay Wilcox: But I just don't know exactly what he looked like. But I know..

Det. Brad Grice: but if we can go get a picture of him, you can identify him?

Davontay Wilcox: Maybe because it ain't too.. it ain't like.. the only reason I don't like him cause.. that man ain't have.. I don't know if his teeth was messed up or not. I ain't see him like smiling.

Det. Brad Grice: Well this also is uh.. might have been a year.. two years ago. So he might have had some.. dental work down.

Det. Russ Hurley: Well let me ask you this. How do you know Kyle? How..

Davontay Wilcox: That's what I'm saying, I didn't.

Det. Russ Hurley: Tonight was the first time you met him?

Davontay Wilcox: And acting crazy in front of everybody.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay who.. who's everybody?

Davontay Wilcox: Me, Tavares, Doobie, see.. that's.. that's the only reason I don't like.. I'm gonna help you all the way

Det. Russ Hurley: We appreciate that.

Davontay Wilcox: but.. that's the only reason.. that's why I wish it was me and you at first cause..

Det. Russ Hurley: I'm telling you.. I'm telling you this is a good dude and..

Davontay Wilcox: I know but he just looking at it like I keep.. the same way I be looking at a kid (inaudible) done killed one of my friends. Cause.. pshh..

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah he just.. he just he.. he wants to work with you just like I want to work with you, you know?

Davontay Wilcox: This is so crazy..

Det. Russ Hurley: It is.. it's absolutely crazy. And it's unfortunate that the guy you're hanging around put you in a bad position. You know what I mean? So did Kyle run the same way you ran?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah but not all the way. He just hit the same gate.

Det. Russ Hurley: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: But he split the apartment like.. he..

Det. Russ Hurley: he went around one side of the building, you went around the other?

Davontay Wilcox: I'm trying.. I'm.. he probably think I'm running with him but I'm trying to get away cause I know people's think, "Oh they might tell too" like if y'all check my fingerprints, you'll see me like.. everywhere he.. I was trying to get away. I kept turning left, I jumped the gate, he went right on the apartment, I went left. He.. he kept going straight past (inaudible) apartment.

Like I could see him through the next opening, I went left and stopped.

Det. Russ Hurley: Which way did Tavares go?

Davontay Wilcox: Tavares ran somewhere but I really did use somebody phone to call him like.. and.. he was scared and all that junk like that. And then.. I met him, he was like.. but.. he I know he upstairs and ain't telling you what I'm telling you. He probably..

Det. Russ Hurley: Well we haven't talked to him yet. I'm.. I'm assuming he's gonna tell us the same thing.

Davontay Wilcox: But.. (inaudible)

Det. Russ Hurley: I mean like I said, you know, the.. the biggest thing here is if you didn't pull the trigger, then.. you gotta tell the truth..

Davontay Wilcox: I didn't pull the trigger.

Det. Russ Hurley: you know what I'm saying?

Davontay Wilcox: I'm telling..

Det. Russ Hurley: because you gotta worry about yourself, right?

Davontay Wilcox: I'm trying to help you cause I know for a fact, me and Tavares didn't do it. I'm telling you right now, straight up. I'm gonna help you catch this killer whether y'all lock me for conspiracy I'm gonna still help you because it's gonna be on my mind that.. (inaudible) get away.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah. Why did he shoot him?

Davontay Wilcox: Because he was searching all the kids at the park.

Det. Russ Hurley: how many was there? There was only three of you..

Davontay Wilcox: there wasn't three of us, what I'm trying to tell you..

Det. Russ Hurley: there was more than three there?

Davontay Wilcox: he think I'm lying cause what I'm saying..

Det. Russ Hurley: Well that's because of the witness.. what the witness told us.

Davontay Wilcox: I know but the police was wrong too when he said three cause it was more than three people.

Det. Russ Hurley: how many was there at the park?

Davontay Wilcox: It was like six or seven people.

Det. Russ Hurley: At the park?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah and four.. like.. three of 'em, I didn't know.

Det. Russ Hurley: Were they with that group though, with your group or were they..

Davontay Wilcox: We was like.. just.. people around the playground and like.. and that's why.. how he get three people outta all these..

Det. Russ Hurley: Well maybe he saw you three together or something.

Davontay Wilcox: I wasn't with the.. the.. oh no, I know what it was. I was up on the little slide thing like.. with my arm right here and up under me, like if I take you back to the park, it's a little bench you sit on..

Det. Russ Hurley: But Kyle has a warrant, right?

Davontay Wilcox: He said he might.

Det. Russ Hurley: Hey Brad..

(Det. Grice enters the room)

Det. Russ Hurley: He thinks that Kyle also had a warrant cause when the cops pulled up he said something about having a.. not going to court. He missed a court date.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Det. Russ Hurley: So..

Det. Brad Grice: Hey this is a suck ass picture right here.

Davontay Wilcox: Who this s'posed to be?

Det. Brad Grice: We don't know. The only reason is.. his name that he used in Facebook but he supposedly worked at

Domino's so he may have caught that nickname but that's (inaudible).

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah I don't think..

Det. Brad Grice: Don't look familiar? Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: Even if we..

Det. Brad Grice: There were..

Davontay Wilcox: .. do.. whenever we.. Domino..

Det. Brad Grice: Uh-huh?

Davontay Wilcox: He just was the driver.

Det. Russ Hurley: he dropped you guys off?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible) sit down, he got mostly everything like..

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: It's.. I know you probably could hear 'em (inaudible) cause I had..

Det. Brad Grice: I been.. I been running with the analyst trying to pull stuff so..

Det. Russ Hurley: So Domino really wasn't out there, he did drop you guys off and leave?

Davontay Wilcox: He did.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay how can we find him?

Davontay Wilcox: That's what I don't know cause he ran.. he showed up in front of my house. First it was just me and Tavares home.. like where we 'posed to be right now just chillin'. They pull in the car.. talkin' about the Grove.. the Grove. Like it's people out and stuff for Christmas break. And then.. I got in.. I had just got a shower so my big cousin was like, "oh you know what you was doing." I was like, nah it was just (inaudible) timing cause I had just got outta the shower and got dressed and they pulled up.

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: And I got in and then Tavares got in, and then.. well he ain't get in at first, we was fittin' to pull off and then they was like.. like, "What Poo doing, what he doin'?" like that. Like.. Doobie was saying that cause we're cool with Doobie and I know like (inaudible) other people's name brought cause then y'all gonna have to go say, "well Davontay said this" (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: we're not gonna tell 'em who told us.

Davontay Wilcox: But they told that to my mama.. now the people threatening my mama everyday, we gotta move from Lincoln's Court. Even though they tearing it down..

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: We gotta move cause people's threatening my mama. My brother down here from college Arizona, he graduated but he stayed up there cause of this. He down here now with his little licensed weapon cause somebody keep (inaudible) my mama just because of the last shit with (inaudible)..

Det. Russ Hurley: (inaudible) I don't know which.. why they would be threatening your mom.

Davontay Wilcox: Because she the only witness.

Det. Russ Hurley: No, there's more than her.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh.. well..

Det. Brad Grice: Now..

Davontay Wilcox: That's what the people in the..

Det. Russ Hurley: You talkin' about the guy that got shot right out in front of your place, right?

Davontay Wilcox: Got shot.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah..

Det. Brad Grice: And Poo was with you in the park when this shot happened?

Davontay Wilcox: Um.. yeah.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah. cause when he jumped the fence, he actually got cut.

Davontay Wilcox: And Domino tried.. I mean not Domino, but Kyle.. oh, can I just start like where I was at?

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: Before we started talking about how they pulled up, well.. and we started driving.. well then they made Pooh get in the car, they didn't make it but basically like.. and then he was like, "hold on" got in.. cause he kept saying his cousin Tysehia stayed over there, if anything, I ain't be stranded, I'll go to my cousin house. That's where I got her name from cause I ain't.. I can't..

Det. Russ Hurley: You talked to Tavares' cousin?

Davontay Wilcox: No. Tysehia?

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: So he was like.. (inaudible) go out and get stuck and he was like, "If anything, I'll just go to my cousin house" and then I was like, "bro, your cousin gonna let me in then" Doobie says Carlos stay out there, all that stuff like that. So we just started riding and then.. mostly everybody was lookin'.. like (inaudible) stuff like that, Kyle talking about, "Let's rob 'em, let's (inaudible)" we got right there by..

Det. Russ Hurley: Oh I see, you're talking about on the drive out there?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: And then when we got like by Crystal Grove, he was like um.. he wanted to rob somebody but like really.. he been saying he wanna do it but this time he like.. making the.. trying to Domino pull over but Domino wasn't really doin that and then they was like.. "That's a pizza man (inaudible)" all that junk like that. And then um.. he dropped.. he.. we.. he pulled up out here, I don't know how you get in uh Crystal Grove but we was like over there by the park and then I had walked up to the park sittin' on the little thing by myself, um.. Kyle was like.. at somebody house over there like.. right around the park cause he had came back with a cup of water.. and the cup might still be out (inaudible). Um.. came out with the cup of water, he was just sittin' there, had his fire and all that. And we seen the police like pull up but..

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: I ain't doin' nothing, I know the park closed but they always tell us the park closed, you gonna have to go home.. you know, did the same thing like.. on that side of Webster Park, he ain't gonna (inaudible). And here's the.. uh..

Det. Russ Hurley: And what happened, man?

Davontay Wilcox: We was just.. I'm sittin' up there, I guess they.. he must be.. Kyle must be under me like on the little bench thing or something cause I'm up top on Facebook on the phone and then.. 'trol around (inaudible) stuff in his car. He had come around the curve, then he had come back and go into like a dead end real slow and then come back, ride past slow. He did it like two times and then he just.. parked this time and then he was.. I heard somebody say he's getting out and all that stuff like that.

Det. Russ Hurley: Who said that?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't know cause I'm up top like if you go to the park, it's like a little slide like..

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah the.. I know what you're talkin' about.

Davontay Wilcox: So I'm up top so.. when the police come, I step down.. well at first he was talking to me while he was right there and then he was talking to like.. to everybody in the park cause I'm just gonna be straight up honest with you right now. And I can't lie and.. he's dead. He was talking to us like he like, he was like, (inaudible) um.. it's all right, I'll give you a court date and all that stuff like that cause you know people try to run and all that stuff like that. He was like, "I don't wanna go through the hassle of trying to chase you for a gram of marijuana and you go to jail" like that. then we was like, "Nah man, we ain't got nothing," well I know I said I ain't have nothing, everybody sayin' they ain't got nothing. Then he was like, "No guns and stuff like that" just making a joke out of it, we was like, "Nah" he was being like nicer than almost any other officer we usually be.. I know you don't.. you ain't got the patience right now with me.

Det. Brad Grice: No, I'm good, I'm just trying to track these names down.

Davontay Wilcox: I know.. I know, I know.

Det. Brad Grice: I'm good.

Davontay Wilcox: So.. he was just talkin' like.. basically.. just helping us and then.. he went to searching us like.. the kid Kyle, who that is, he was like the last one to get searched but.. I guess he must've been getting his firearm ready cause.. I turned my head and I heard.. pow! and I looked back and the officer dead.

And then I started running and he like.. almost behind me so.. everybody else, I think they beat me in the gate, I don't know but Kyle behind.. I don't want him behind me so I jumped the gate and then like kinda looked and I.. land and then he jumped and then he goes right on an apartment so I go left and that's when I was like I was standing there and then (inaudible) use somebody phone because I didn't see it but I did turn and (inaudible) gun for and then I knew, anybody hand it to you and you don't accept it. and then I did try to use somebody phone to get back in contact with Poo because he ain't (inaudible) I know you just lost just like I am. And I really think he's just gonna shoot like.. like.. and then they might tell you, "Oh I'm gonna shoot them too" so I'm trying to just avoid him and then that's when I just stood there by Carlos door cause I.. found where Carlos stayed at, got a phone, called Pooh and we was just sittin' there, we ain't have no where to go and.. see, and the police, they ain't..

Det. Russ Hurley: Where.. where did Kyle go, do you know where he went?

Davontay Wilcox: He jumped the gate and went up.. like it's apartment and then it's apartment and then it's the road for Crystal Woods and like.. just like that so he jumped like on the outside of it like and ran outside.

Det. Russ Hurley: Towards.. towards the highway?

Davontay Wilcox: Towards the highway but now he ain't make it out yet cause he couldn't have got out to the highway that fast. Not even close.

Det. Brad Grice: So he's up toward the fence by the police car and y'all went back to...

Davontay Wilcox: Was you there on the scene?

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: when I was in the car?

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Davontay Wilcox: Okay.

Det. Russ Hurley: Oh no, no. he's talkin about at the apartments.

Det. Brad Grice: At the apartments..

Davontay Wilcox: Cause it's.. some police car was coming from like a different way and.. if that's.. that's.. that's where he was leave to like from that jump but.. I ain't get to do no.. I ain't get to tell no police like, "I just seen it" cause as soon as I come out, "Get down! Get on the ground!"

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: I ain't get no time to talk..

Det. Russ Hurley: So Doobie was out there with you?

Davontay Wilcox: Doobie.. I ain't.. was Doobie out there.. at first he was, that's what I'm saying everybody ran.

Det. Russ Hurley: But I'm saying at the park when the shooting occurred, Doobie was there?

Davontay Wilcox: I believe so cause it was like three other kids I didn't know who they was, I ain't even.. at first, I ain't even know Kyle (inaudible).

Det. Russ Hurley: Kids.. when you says kids we talkin' about teenagers?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah teenagers, I mean.

Det. Russ Hurley: And Doobie.. and how many other.. three other teenagers?

Davontay Wilcox: That why.. only reason um..

Det. Russ Hurley: And then.. and then Kyle... and Tavares?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: And there's nobody else out there?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-umm.

Det. Russ Hurley: Were you guys separated into two different groups or something?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Russ Hurley: So..

Davontay Wilcox: cause I told you, he was.. I'm up, I'm visible probably.. I guess two of us.. two more of us is visible that's why he said..

Det. Russ Hurley: Cause..

Davontay Wilcox: Cause you kept getting mad, cause you saying.. the officer said it was three of us.. it was three people there in the park but..

Det. Brad Grice: Well that's what he called in.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah but it wasn't..

Det. Brad Grice: There was probably more than that.

Davontay Wilcox: And then you probably put in your head too, well if it wasn't three.. you wasn't there, how do you know it was three people there, all that stuff like that. I ain't dumb but.. I'm just.. I was scared but.. that ain't, you know, (inaudible)..

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: But anyways.. where was I at? You don't know?

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah you said, you were telling us there was.. you guys were separated..

Davontay Wilcox: Oh yeah, we was separated..

Det. Russ Hurley: It was you..

Davontay Wilcox: And then..

Det. Russ Hurley: It was you and Tavares and Kyle by the slide?

Davontay Wilcox: No. I was up top, Poo was like just standing in the grass like.. that's how he.. really got the lead, he was scared like (inaudible) cause he.. had took off and.. it was like.. I don't know if Doobie was under the thing with Kyle or who else was under there with Kyle but them three.. cause when the police came, he searched everybody. Um.. Kyle was the last one and he shot him like.. he ain't even let him search him like..

Det. Brad Grice: So he had already patted y'all down?

Davontay Wilcox: He patted me down like.. and then he was like.. he got a rubber, he was being cool with it, like, "Protection, that's good."

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: All that junk like that. Like half of us had a rubber, he was just being cool, I don't see why he shot and killed him. And I already knew half us fittin' to get in trouble for something he did. That's why I'm really trying.. I'm going up here regardless but..

Det. Brad Grice: Now.. you're pretty sure that this guy was with y'all? Was he getting his name run? Did.. let me ask you this. Did the officer have a little notebook..

Davontay Wilcox: That's what I'm saying..

Det. Brad Grice: or anything to write things down?

Davontay Wilcox: that's.. that's the only thing I'm saying, at first I'm lookin at him like.. good thing the officer didn't have no pad, now I'm looking at it like.. why he didn't have his notepad

takin' our names, why is he just searching us? Like why ain't you takin' names, why ain't you callin' backup.

Det. Brad Grice: Right. But you don't recall him writing anybody's name..

Davontay Wilcox: He.. he didn't..

Det. Brad Grice: He didn't write nobody's name? No? Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah that's what.. that's probably another thing gonna mess.. mess up my story cause it made it seem like I'm lying but.. I'm givin' you the God honest truth.

Det. Brad Grice: Well I appreciate that..

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible)

Det. Brad Grice: Obviously this is..

Davontay Wilcox: I wouldn't just pick a killer just cause I know that I'm placed on the scene, you feel me, some people be like, well they know I was there so I'm (inaudible) no.

Det. Brad Grice: Right. Well the downfall, you don't wanna just give us a name and it not turn out to be true. You know what I'm sayin?

Davontay Wilcox: No.. it's.. it's Kyle, trust me.

Det. Brad Grice: Well I understand.

Davontay Wilcox: Cause I hang out with Tavares everyday.

Det. Brad Grice: What's the.. we got analysts that actually is tryin to find out who Kyle is and get a picture but.. let's think back and just try to come up with anything else that we can to connect Kyle in some way. Have you ever seen him on Facebook, have you ever..

Davontay Wilcox: I told him that was.. my first time meeting him but..

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: Like I told him earlier too, I can help cause I can find out who Kyle.. I could like..

Det. Brad Grice: You can find out who Kyle is pretty quick?

Davontay Wilcox: Like cause it's.. cause I ain't the police, you feel me?

Det. Brad Grice: Right.. right.

Davontay Wilcox: Like..

Det. Brad Grice: Now who's phone did you have when you were.. when the police came up, you said you were playing on your phone.

Davontay Wilcox: Facebook?

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: That was Tavares phone.

Det. Brad Grice: Using Tavares's phone, okay. And then uh..

Davontay Wilcox: No that was.. who phone was that? No, I don't even know if I was on Facebook or not but I'm thinking that I was because I ain't see him walk up on us, I just heard somebody say, "Oh he coming up here." Cause at first he was, remember I told you he was just riding by.

Det. Brad Grice: Right. And then when he approached, he didn't tell y'all to jump down or anything (inaudible).

Davontay Wilcox: I was the only one up there.

Det. Brad Grice: It was uh..

Davontay Wilcox: I'm the only..

Det. Brad Grice: Everybody else was down?

Davontay Wilcox: And I could see my friend Tavares cause that's how he got his little head start.

Det. Brad Grice: Did he have everybody kinda come over to where he was?

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible)they was under me like.. so that's how he talkin' to the other group cause..

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: they up under me. Tavares like right here leaning on this pole and the other group up under me, he called.. he did call.. I think he called Tavares over there. And then another

um.. Doobie, he called Doobie and he searched Doobie first and then he searched.. he searched Doobie, I think the only thing Doobie had was his phone. So..

Det. Brad Grice: Doobie had a phone?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: And then were you next?

Davontay Wilcox: um.. I think I was like almost last like.. it was cause.. it was Doobie, um.. then I think Tavares..

Det. Brad Grice: So he searched uh.. Poo second?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: Probably.. and then..

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible)

Det. Brad Grice: It was you, Kyle, Doobie, Poo, and three others that you don't know.. about.

Davontay Wilcox: They ain't.. well..

Det. Brad Grice: Or the three others, he wasn't messing with?

Davontay Wilcox: He mess with 'em.

Det. Brad Grice: He was talking to 'em too?

Davontay Wilcox: He searched them.

Det. Brad Grice: He searched them too?

Davontay Wilcox: But.. only thing I'm.. I'm still kinda like skeptical about, he didn't really like search me cause.. he.. he I don't.. he touched my pockets..

Det. Brad Grice: Just patted you down.

Det. Brad Grice: I'm still up top like.. then in the whole time, I ain't have to hop down like..

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: And.. even you could see where the angle of the bullet came from like.. cause it sound like.. it.. (inaudible) not with you but with me cause I.. I barely even got searched too like.. everybody got searched but the killer and me cause.. he ain't get a chance search the killed cause he just shot him before he could and..

Det. Brad Grice: What kinda gun did he have?

Davontay Wilcox: I'm not sure.. it was kinda big.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah, kinda big? Was it.. do you remember what color it was?

Davontay Wilcox: Black and chrome.. black and silver.

Det. Brad Grice: So it.. was it black and silver? What part was silver?

Davontay Wilcox: The top.

Det. Brad Grice: And the black was the handle?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: Black handle.. silver top. And kinda big?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: Was it loud?

Davontay Wilcox: It was like..it was loud but it was solid like some guns like be.. they'll be loud like.. like.. but like.. I don't know how to explain cause I hear so many gunshots and they be like... like.. uh boom like.. like.. I'm trying.. Okay, a .22 like..

Det. Brad Grice: Like a little firecracker.

Davontay Wilcox: Like a little pow and then..

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: And then it's like.. Glock's are powerful too but they just make a solid noise like.. pow, pow, pow.

Det. Brad Grice: Right,

Davontay Wilcox: It was like pop!, it ain't echo, it didn't like, "boom"

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: It was like.. like.. in between like.. cause it just was solid, it was just like.. pow..

Det. Brad Grice: Did uh.. how close was Kyle to the officer?

Davontay Wilcox: He..

Det. Brad Grice: When he shot.

Davontay Wilcox: Oh boy.. this shits crazy.

Det. Brad Grice: Was he right on top of him? Was he being.. fixin' to be searched?

Davontay Wilcox: ... boy.. (inaudible) man, can't believe this.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah it's hard to believe. It's hard to believe for us. I've been doing this for twenty four years now and.. it's not happened here since I've been as a police officer.

Davontay Wilcox: that's what I said..

Det. Brad Grice: Now Sheriff's Department has..

Davontay Wilcox: ..teenagers don't..

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: I ain't never heard from Lakeland, police officer getting killed.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: But the dog..

Det. Brad Grice: Right. The Sheriff's Department. They've been.. so how close was he Kyle to the officer?

Davontay Wilcox: He was like.. me to you.

Det. Brad Grice: Me to you?

Davontay Wilcox: But..

Det. Brad Grice: So you're only talking..

Davontay Wilcox: up..

Det. Brad Grice: three foot.

Davontay Wilcox: Maybe with some arm reach cause he gotta aim.. can't shoot next to your face.

Det. Brad Grice: Right. Did you see where he shot him at?

Davontay Wilcox: .. I looked back and then.. all right, this.. this is really what happened. This.. its' the same thing but.. like.. I don't know what.. I don't know if I was on Facebook, what was I up here doin? But.. I don't know.. ain't (inaudible) but all you see is.. he just come from the side, from up under like where I was at, cause I could see the officer right in front.. say like I'm up on top of you..

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: And I see you talkin' to everybody up under me.. I see somebody come from up under there and then.. I

think either Tavares or Doobie was standing over here and then they.. moved to go put.. put in..

Det. Brad Grice: So he pointed.. picked the gun up from the side?

Davontay Wilcox: No he ain't pick it up.. I'm guessing the whole time, he had it out like.. on his side.. like slick cause.. he didn't.. wasn't no movement or nothing.

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: He just lift...

Det. Brad Grice: Just raised it up.

Davontay Wilcox: Came from under there. Cause it's a hole in the thing but I ain't look through the hole cause I'm sittin' down on my butt with my feet hanging off. And the officer like.. like.. right there.

Det. Brad Grice: Yeah.

Davontay Wilcox: And I see him come from under.. that's what made me not see the kill, cause when he came from under there, I was looking.. Pow. And then..

Det. Brad Grice: There's no doubt in your mind that Kyle's the one that was pointing the gun up there..

Davontay Wilcox: Kyle killed him. If it was..

Det. Brad Grice: At the officer. And he's arm length away from him when he shot him. Did you see where he shot him at?

Davontay Wilcox: I think..

Det. Brad Grice: Where he was aiming?

Davontay Wilcox: I think he shot him in the head or in the.. somewhere up.. cause it wasn't no body shot, cause a body shot, you ain't gonna fall. He literally.. fell and he rolled and then.. then he rolled back up like.. and then fell.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay so he's standing up, he falls backwards?

Davontay Wilcox: Like.. with his arms like..

Det. Brad Grice: Just kinda reached out?

Davontay Wilcox: And then he rolled and then his legs went up and then.. they came down and he rolled up like this and then fell back.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay so he's kinda buckling..

Davontay Wilcox: and then when he rolled up..

Det. Brad Grice: ..is what you're saying. He kinda rolled back with his.. waist and head going back and then he came forward..

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Brad Grice: And then he just fell backwards to the ground and didn't move after that. Well did you see anybody try to take anything from the officer? Everybody just ran?

Davontay Wilcox: (no audible response)

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Det. Russ Hurley: now you said he had a low cut so just kind of look at the facial features. Is that Kyle?

Davontay Wilcox: Oh yeah, that's Kyle.

Det. Russ Hurley: That's him?

Davontay Wilcox: That's.. yeah. (inaudible) on TV. But ain't nobody just gonna (inaudible) walk away.

Det. Brad Grice: So you're looking at just a picture from a.. Florida driver's license.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Brad Grice: And uh the person you're saying is Kyle is the one that shot the officer is uh.. Kyle?

Davontay Wilcox: Well before I.. I already said it but like.. I'm trying to ask y'all to.. cause.. I know my name's gonna be in black and white, there's really nothing y'all can do to help me with this but.. I know it's gonna come back on me in some type of way.

Det. Brad Grice: Listen what you're doing..

Det. Russ Hurley: But it's..

Det. Brad Grice: is the right thing.

Davontay Wilcox: That's why I'm..

Det. Brad Grice: If he did this..

Davontay Wilcox: he did it.

Det. Brad Grice: You ain't got to worry about him.

Davontay Wilcox: And.. when you test for gun powder, it ain't gonna be on me. It's not gonna be on Tavares, you just.. gonna see a scratch cause I cut my wrist jumping the gate. You gonna see.. he did it. I don't even know him, you can.. he don't know me at all.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: That's why.. he don't.. we don't do stuff, we..

Det. Brad Grice: Okay based on what you're sayin, this..

Davontay Wilcox: It sound crazy cause he wanna rob people the whole way there and then when the police come, he tellin' us he might have a warrant. He was like, "Oh man, I might have a warrant." He was like, "I ain't go to court" then, I hear Doobie saying, "You got a warrant. Cause if you don't go to court, that's a pick up warrant."

Det. Brad Grice: Hey just for the record, you've identified Kyle Williams, right?

Det. Russ Hurley: (inaudible)

Det. Brad Grice: Is that Williams? Is it Williams, Russ?

Det. Russ Hurley: Yes.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Det. Russ Hurley: Yes, Kyle Devonte Williams.

Det. Brad Grice: Okay.

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible)

Det. Russ Hurley: But it's spelled different.. spelled different, it's D-I-O-N-T-A-Y or something like that.

Davontay Wilcox: And the only reason we couldn't tell the police because.. only word I had from him was, you're not being under arrest, you know (inaudible) talk to. They let somebody point me out for.. they did the right thing to like pointing at me.. and..

Det. Brad Grice: Well obviously you were there.

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah I know.

Det. Brad Grice: We got witnesses saying that they seen these guys run away from there and.. and.. matching a description of you.

Det. Russ Hurley: And Tavares.

Det. Brad Grice: So.. so that's why, you know, we're coming to you to ask you..

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: what's going on, you know?

Det. Russ Hurley: You have to understand.. and we're.. yes, your name's gonna be in black and white. I told you that earlier, there's no way around that. But it's not gonna be like tomorrow on the front page if the news, you know what I'm saying. They'll get it at discovery.

Det. Brad Grice: And you have protection. If somebody were to threaten you in any way, you just let the police know, okay?

Det. Russ Hurley: But the thing is, is we gotta identify all these other guys and get everybody on board. What's he gonna do? Be mad at everybody cause he was a knucklehead? You know what I mean?

Davontay Wilcox: Well he can't be.

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: Cause that's when he did.

Det. Russ Hurley: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: Well we need to uh.. go talk to Poo and see if he can identify him too and uh.. you okay to hang out? You need to go to the restroom or get a drink?

Det. Russ Hurley: He wanted something to drink so I'll get him a bottle of water.

Davontay Wilcox: Both of y'all gotta leave?

Det. Brad Grice: Well we'll get somebody cause..

Davontay Wilcox: I don't even..

Det. Brad Grice: Huh?

Davontay Wilcox: I don't wanna talk to nobody else.

Det. Brad Grice: No you don't have to talk to m.

Det. Russ Hurley: You don't have to talk.

Det. Brad Grice: They'll just be right here in case you need something, okay? And we'll get you a bottle of water.

Davontay Wilcox: So I'm going to jail?

Det. Brad Grice: No.. no. I just.. we need to go.. we need to identify all these people and we got people pulling names and stuff and maybe Poo will be able to.. maybe pick somebody else out and we can come go.. show you a picture. So we need you both to be here so we can uh.. come back and forth to you, okay?

Davontay Wilcox: Mmm-hmm.

Det. Brad Grice: Now Poo ain't gonna say something different than what you have? You tellin' us the truth?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah.

Det. Brad Grice: One hundred percent?

Davontay Wilcox: Yeah he might try to.. beat around..

Det. Brad Grice: Sure.

Davontay Wilcox: cause he's scared.

Det. Brad Grice: And I understand. And..

Davontay Wilcox: (inaudible)

Det. Brad Grice: just like you.. and I understand that.

Davontay Wilcox: but that's exactly what happened.

Det. Russ Hurley: Okay.

Det. Brad Grice: But.. but because of the nature of this..

Davontay Wilcox: That I didn't call the police?

Det. Brad Grice: No. because of the nature of the crime, it being the murder of a police officer, just by lying can get you a prison sentence.

Davontay Wilcox: That's..

Det. Brad Grice: You know what I'm saying?

Davontay Wilcox: That's why I..

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: Earlier, it was just questions, so I'm just trying to..

Det. Russ Hurley: Yeah.

Det. Brad Grice: Right.

Davontay Wilcox: answer questions.

Det. Russ Hurley: I'm gonna get you a bottle of water so you'll have something to drink and uh.. and just be patient. If you need something, like he said, there'll be a couple of officers out here and just.. just holler at them, okay? All right man.

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(TAPE RESUMES)

SGT. BIRDWELL: Well, what happened? I've got witnesses lined up that put you there.

DET. LEWIS: Time is 11:54 AM. Sgt. Birdwell is present.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Why are you lyin'?

GEORGE TUCKER: That's the only thing I lied about.

SGT. BIRDWELL: That you... you lied that you walked away from it?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

SGT. BIRDWELL: That you wasn't there?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You were there when that policeman was shot?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, but I didn't see who shot 'em though.

SGT. BIRDWELL: That's... you're doin' it again. You did see who shot it. Do not say that again.

GEORGE TUCKER: (inaudible).

SGT. BIRDWELL: I have people that put you there when it happened. Do you think that we're talkin' to you by some happenchance?

GEORGE TUCKER: No sir. I know this is real serious.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Are you gonna sit here and tell me on tape and be willin' to face the consequences that you didn't see Kyle shoot that policeman?

GEORGE TUCKER: My back was turned like... I did... look, after he um... after he searched me my back was turned. All I did was hear a gunshot and then my cousin told me Kyle shot 'em.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You're gonna tell me you did not see Kyle with a gun?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, I didn't see 'em with a gun.

SGT. BIRDWELL: And you didn't see Kyle shoot that policeman? And that's what you're willin' to...

GEORGE TUCKER: I turned arou... look, I turned around. I heard the gunshot. All I did was see the officer go down on the ground.

SGT. BIRDWELL: And where was Kyle?

GEORGE TUCKER: Kyle was like right there.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Who else was right there?

GEORGE TUCKER: Anfernee, because he was bein' searched.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Who shot the policeman?

GEORGE TUCKER: He said Kyle shot 'em (inaudible).

SGT. BIRDWELL: I'm askin' you, who shot the policeman?

GEORGE TUCKER: Kyle shot the policeman.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You see 'em shoot the policeman?

GEORGE TUCKER: No, I... I didn't see 'em shoot the policeman.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Then what did you see?

GEORGE TUCKER: All I seen was Kyle was like right there, but An... my cousin Anfernee, he was bein' searched. So, I know he was like right there by the policeman. All I see is Kyle walk up to the policeman and...

SGT. BIRDWELL: And what?

GEORGE TUCKER: He shot 'em.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You saw him walk up to the policeman?

GEORGE TUCKER: I seen 'em like right there by 'em, and then all I heard was a gunshot.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Listen to me. I want you to do me a favor. I want you to take a deep breath. I'm serious. Take a deep breath.

GEORGE TUCKER: (inhales).

SGT. BIRDWELL: And I want you to listen to what I'm gonna tell you, alright? How old are ya?

GEORGE TUCKER: Sixteen.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You're sixteen.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You've got your entire life ahead of you, do not mess it up.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Do not tell a lie here. If you saw him walk up to the policeman, you had to see him shoot the policeman. That all happened at one time. That policeman did not let him walk up on him and not... and not turn to him, and not acknowledge that he's walkin' up on 'em.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: So, I want you to tell me the truth. What did you see?

GEORGE TUCKER: Saw Kyle walk up to the policeman and shoot 'em.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Did you see that?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes, I saw it.

SGT. BIRDWELL: What hand... what hand did Kyle have a gun in?

GEORGE TUCKER: I think the right hand.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You think? If you saw it, you should know.

GEORGE TUCKER: Nah, I wasn't... like it happened so fast, I wasn't really like payin' attention to what (inaudible)...

SGT. BIRDWELL: Did you see Kyle with a gun earlier tonight?

GEORGE TUCKER: No sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: What happened after he shot the policeman?

GEORGE TUCKER: I seen 'em run.

SGT. BIRDWELL: What happened to the gun, did he have it with 'em?

GEORGE TUCKER: Not sure.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Alright, I'm gonna ask you one more time, okay? This is extremely important.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Alright? What's your first name?

GEORGE TUCKER: George.

SGT. BIRDWELL: George, do not say you saw him shoot the policeman, if you didn't. Don't let me have you say somethin'. I need the truth out of you, alright? Don't get caught in a lie. Do you under...

GEORGE TUCKER: I was tellin' the truth at first 'cause like Pooh is like standin' right here by a tree, so I'm facin' towards Pooh, but he's facin' toward (inaudible), like I had my back turned like I'm...

SGT. BIRDWELL: Did you see... did you see Kyle walk up to the policeman?

GEORGE TUCKER: I seen Kyle go to the policeman after I turned around.

SGT. BIRDWELL: And what did you see 'em do?

GEORGE TUCKER: I ain't see 'em shoot nobody (inaudible).

SGT. BIRDWELL: Then why would you tell me that?

GEORGE TUCKER: 'Cause you... you was tryin' to make it seem like I was there and I saw the whole thing. I didn't really see the whole thing.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Tell me what you saw.

GEORGE TUCKER: I saw Kyle close to 'em and then I (inaudible) I turned around. All I hear is a gunshot. All I see is the police like... he falls. Then, I see Kyle like run.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Did you see Kyle with a gun?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, I seen 'em with a gun.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Before the shooting or after?

GEORGE TUCKER: After.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You saw 'em run away with a gun on 'em?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Is that the truth?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes, it's the truth.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You swear to God that's the truth?

GEORGE TUCKER: I swear to God.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Alright, so you're there when it happens and you see uh... Kyle walk towards the policeman.

GEORGE TUCKER: I didn't see him walk...

SGT. BIRDWELL: But you didn't...

GEORGE TUCKER: ... towards... all I see...

SGT. BIRDWELL: You just saw 'em near the policeman.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, I turned around and I see 'em near... near the policeman. I hear a gunshot and I see a policeman fall to the ground.

SGT. BIRDWELL: And then you seen Kyle run with a gun?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Can you describe the gun?

GEORGE TUCKER: It was like silver and black.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Silver and black? How many times did he shoot?

GEORGE TUCKER: Only once.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Did he say anything to y'all?

GEORGE TUCKER: Nah.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Have you talked to 'em since the policeman was shot?

GEORGE TUCKER: No sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Have you talked to anybody else that was standing there?

GEORGE TUCKER: My cousin Anfernee, because he stayed the night with me.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Okay, and what did Anthony say?

GEORGE TUCKER: Anfernee told... he... he... he ran in like because he was being searched as the officer was um... being shot.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Um-hum.

GEORGE TUCKER: So, he told me he ran in the house like huffin' and puffin'. All I hear is he said, "Kyle just shot the police".

SGT. BIRDWELL: Who did he tell that to?

GEORGE TUCKER: He told it to me.

SGT. BIRDWELL: And who else?

GEORGE TUCKER: And his um... cousin Naughty.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Who's Naughty?

GEORGE TUCKER: I think it's his older cousin.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You don't know his real name?

GEORGE TUCKER: No sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: When you see Kyle... saw Kyle run away, what hand was the gun in?

GEORGE TUCKER: The right.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Are you sure?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Is that story the truth?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Did you tell... start off tellin' that you were out of the park and all that? Why did you tell 'em that?

GEORGE TUCKER: I didn't want to be accused of somethin' I didn't do.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Like what?

GEORGE TUCKER: I was like walkin' away from the park though, because he told me I was clear. I was walkin' away, but I had my back turned like... I'm walkin' towards Pooh...

SGT. BIRDWELL: Um-hum.

GEORGE TUCKER: ... and I just hear a gunshot.

SGT. BIRDWELL: But you wasn't out of the...

GEORGE TUCKER: No sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: ... compound? You wasn't around the corner of a buildin' and...

GEORGE TUCKER: No sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: ... you were still in the park?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: And you saw Kyle run with a gun?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: And that's the truth?

GEORGE TUCKER: That's the truth.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You swear?

GEORGE TUCKER: I swear.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You're not just sayin' that?

GEORGE TUCKER: I swear, I put it on my aunty head.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You... what does that mean? You... you swear on her life?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, she already dead.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Uh-huh, so you swear on... help me understand what that means to you.

GEORGE TUCKER: It's like I wouldn't put nothin' on my aunty head, because she already dead. That's tellin' (inaudible) try to feel me, because...

SGT. BIRDWELL: Um-hum.

GEORGE TUCKER: ... that is the truth.

DET. LEWIS: Why would you lie Tucker?

GEORGE TUCKER: Because...

DET. LEWIS: Initially?

GEORGE TUCKER: ... I didn't want to get accused.

DET. LEWIS: How would we accuse you? If you saw what happened and you lied, sayin' you weren't there...

GEORGE TUCKER: I didn't... I didn't...

DET. LEWIS: ... what... you know what it tells me? It tells me you're afraid of somethin'. So, what's the real deal?

GEORGE TUCKER: That's the real deal.

DET. LEWIS: What?

SGT. BIRDWELL: What I'm gonna do is, is the tape's gonna stay on. I'm gonna get up and walk out and let the other detective come in here and I want you to slow down, take a deep breath and go over this one more time with 'em, okay? So that... so no one's confused.

GEORGE TUCKER: Alright.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Alright?

GEORGE TUCKER: Alright.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Are you sure you told the truth?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You saw Kyle Williams runnin' with a gun after the policeman was shot?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Alright, and you saw him near the policeman?

GEORGE TUCKER: I saw him near the policeman...

SGT. BIRDWELL: And you...

GEORGE TUCKER: ... but he wasn't gettin' searched though.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Okay, and you know him?

GEORGE TUCKER: I...

SGT. BIRDWELL: You know Kyle?

GEORGE TUCKER: I don't know 'em like that.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Do you know who he is?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, I know who he is, because he go to
my school.

SGT. BIRDWELL: So, you know 'em as who?

GEORGE TUCKER: Kyle.

SGT. BIRDWELL: You know his last name?

GEORGE TUCKER: I know his last name from school, Kyle
Williams.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Okay. Alright, the time right now on my watch is five after 12:00. I'm gonna step out to share this information with uh... Det. Grice who is doin' another interview.

DET. LEWIS: Okay.

SGT. BIRDWELL: Alright, please step back in.

DET. LEWIS: What you scared of man?

GEORGE TUCKER: I'm not scared of nothin'.

DET. LEWIS: You're lyin' for some reason. People don't just come in here and lie about stuff like that.

GEORGE TUCKER: I'm not scared of nothin' though.

DET. LEWIS: Why'd you lie?

GEORGE TUCKER: 'Cause I... I was like... I wasn't out the (inaudible) but I was like walkin' towards that way because 'member I told you (inaudible) my phone was there, I was tryin' to get my phone charged. All I hear is (inaudible).

DET. LEWIS: Okay, but it's very different when you went from, "I was walkin' out of the park and I heard a gunshot, I didn't see anybody" to "Yes, I saw Kyle um... shoot the policeman." Or "He was close to 'em and I saw Kyle with a gun", that is very different than what you initially told me. So, I'm askin' you, why would you come in here and lie? Because like I said...

GEORGE TUCKER: I didn't really... I didn't really lie about that (inaudible)...

DET. LEWIS: You didn't really lie? Come... really? Really, what do you call that?

GEORGE TUCKER: The only... the only thing I lied about was bein' out... not bein' in the park.

DET. LEWIS: Okay, that's a lie, and that is huge. That is huge. You go from I am separatin' myself from this, I didn't see nothin'. I don't know nothin', to what you really saw and heard and observed, right?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes ma'am.

DET. LEWIS: Which was?

GEORGE TUCKER: The second story was true.

DET. LEWIS: Second story, and I'm askin' you why did you come up with the first story? I have to be able to explain why Mr. George Tucker came in here to the police department to tell his side of the story and the first time he told it, he made up a big fat lie on a capital murder case of a police officer. Do you wanna be charged with somethin' today?

GEORGE TUCKER: No ma'am.

DET. LEWIS: So, explain to me, help me understand why you would come in here and lie. Are you tryin' to protect Kyle? Are you afraid of somethin'? What is it?

GEORGE TUCKER: I'm afraid of somebody findin' out that I told.

DET. LEWIS: Okay, because?

GEORGE TUCKER: I just didn't want nothin' to happen to me.

DET. LEWIS: That makes sense to me. That makes a whole lot of sense to me, Tucker.

DET. MACKEY: Is that the truth?

GEORGE TUCKER: That's the truth. Second story was the truth though.

DET. LEWIS: Alright.

GEORGE TUCKER: I... I didn't see... I didn't see him shoot the policeman (inaudible).

DET. LEWIS: Okay, and... and I got that, but you're still at the park, correct?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes ma'am.

DET. LEWIS: You... you haven't walked away yet. You're still in the vicinity...

GEORGE TUCKER: I... I was...

DET. LEWIS: ... you're still in the vicinity.

GEORGE TUCKER: ... I was... Yeah, I was still in the vicinity.

DET. LEWIS: Okay. So, if Det. Mackey is Pooh, is he... are you facin' Pooh, is that what you said?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, I was facin' Pooh like I was fixin' to ask... um... tell 'em to tell my cousin Anfernee to like meet me um... at his cousin house and all I hear is 'pow'.

DET. LEWIS: You hear 'pow' and you turn?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, I turned and I see Kyle like right there and I see the officer like falling.

DET. LEWIS: Um-hum.

GEORGE TUCKER: And I see Kyle run away.

DET. LEWIS: And what do you see Kyle with?

GEORGE TUCKER: A gun in his right hand.

DET. MACKEY: Can you show us what Kyle looked like when you turned? How was he standin'? How was he holdin' his arms? What was he doin'?

GEORGE TUCKER: I seen 'em like...

DET. MACKEY: (inaudible – both speaking at once)...

GEORGE TUCKER: ... he was like...

DET. MACKEY: (inaudible) show me, so I can...

GEORGE TUCKER: ... close to the officer like... all I did was I... I knew I turned around and I seen 'em like puttin' his hand back down like...

DET. MACKEY: I was up and then he put it down?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, it was like up and then like he puttin' down like...

DET. MACKEY: Where was the officer at though?

GEORGE TUCKER: The officer was like searchin' um... my cousin. He had my cousin hand like... he had one hand on like both of his hands like... and then he had like the other one like pattin' down like. Then, he switched it up like pattin' 'em down.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

GEORGE TUCKER: That's how he did it to me, so I guess that's how he did it to him.

DET. MACKEY: Let me (inaudible) as you turned around, as you were (inaudible) to him, where was the officer when you saw the hand uh... up and go down?

GEORGE TUCKER: Where was the officer?

DET. MACKEY: Yeah.

GEORGE TUCKER: He was... he was like right there.

DET. MACKEY: Layin' on the ground?

GEORGE TUCKER: Like after the shot... after the shot was fired, he like was fallin' towards the ground.

DET. MACKEY: About how far away was he from the officer?

GEORGE TUCKER: He was like... from like me to you, right here.

DET. MACKEY: And was the officer's back turned, or was he facing...

GEORGE TUCKER: I'm not sure, 'cause...

DET. MACKEY: Couldn't tell?

GEORGE TUCKER: 'cause my... my... my back was turned to like the whole thing.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

GEORGE TUCKER: Because I'm like facing towards Pooh, like my back was turned towards.. (inaudible) all I did was turn around and I see like Kyle like right there, like three people right there, my cousin, the officer and Kyle and I see 'em like put his hand down and like run.

DET. MACKEY: Did you see anything in his hand though?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, it was a gun. I seen the gun in his hand. It was silver and black.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

DET. LEWIS: He didn't say anything... Kyle didn't say nothin'?

GEORGE TUCKER: Nah.

DET. LEWIS: Did he say anything before he shot?

GEORGE TUCKER: No ma'am.

DET. MACKEY: Which... which way did he go from there? Did you see 'em take off?

GEORGE TUCKER: I seen 'em take off like... alright, you know how... you know how Crystal Grove is.

DET. LEWIS: Um-hum.

GEORGE TUCKER: Alright, the park is like right here and the it's like white apartments right here. Then, it's like another apartments like right here like little... I seen 'em like runnin' this way and hop a fence. All I know is I ran the way I told y'all I was goin' out. I ran that way. I ran to my cousin's house.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

DET. LEWIS: What were you wearin'?

GEORGE TUCKER: This.

DET. LEWIS: That? Do you have on any uh... anything over your t-shirt?

GEORGE TUCKER: Anything over it? I had a jacket on.

DET. LEWIS: What color was your jacket?

GEORGE TUCKER: Black.

DET. LEWIS: Black? Where's it at?

GEORGE TUCKER: It's in the car.

DET. LEWIS: Okay.

DET. MACKEY: Is there anything else that you were wearing that you're not wearing now?

GEORGE TUCKER: Um.

DET. MACKEY: Is this exactly what you were wearing?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. MACKEY: You haven't changed, take any....

GEORGE TUCKER: And the black jacket.

DET. MACKEY: ... other than the jacket, this is exactly what you were wearing?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

DET. LEWIS: What was Kyle wearin'?

GEORGE TUCKER: Uh... he had on a blue jacket and some pants.

DET. LEWIS: Okay. You didn't see him get the gun from anywhere?

GEORGE TUCKER: No ma'am.

DET. LEWIS: Never saw it that night at all?

GEORGE TUCKER: No ma'am.

DET. LEWIS: Did... at any time, now that we're tryin' to go through the story again, any time during the night, any remarks bein' made about what's gonna happen or what somebody wants to do? Anybody gonna get jacked? Nothin' like that?

GEORGE TUCKER: No ma'am.

DET. LEWIS: Who do you thinks gonna do somethin' to ya?

GEORGE TUCKER: Um-um. Polly somebody he know or somebody I...

DET. LEWIS: Is he in a gang?

GEORGE TUCKER: Who, Kyle?

DET. LEWIS: Um-hum.

GEORGE TUCKER: Not sure.

DET. LEWIS: No?

DET. MACKEY: Are you?

GEORGE TUCKER: I was in a gang, but not anymore. Like I'm not affiliated with it.

DET. MACKEY: Who was...

GEORGE TUCKER: That's why I'm movin' to Texas.

DET. MACKEY: Who'd you hang with before?

GEORGE TUCKER: Like before...

DET. LEWIS: What was the gang?

GEORGE TUCKER: ... (inaudible).

DET. LEWIS: What's the gang?

DET. MACKEY: (inaudible) gang.

GEORGE TUCKER: Oh, Baby Soldier.

DET. LEWIS: Oh, is he a Baby Soldier?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes ma'am. (inaudible).

DET. LEWIS: Hmm... what about um... your other peeps here? Are they Soldiers?

GEORGE TUCKER: No ma'am.

DET. LEWIS: No?

GEORGE TUCKER: I seen 'em like hang with 'em, but I don't know if they're like... a real like... I don't know if they're with 'em.

DET. LEWIS: Is all this other story correct about where you were?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes ma'am.

DET. LEWIS: On Parker Street?

GEORGE TUCKER: Ys ma'am.

DET. LEWIS: All that was true?

GEORGE TUCKER: All that was true.

DET. LEWIS: Okay.

GEORGE TUCKER: Only thing different was when I told you I was walkin' away...

DET. LEWIS: Um-hum.

GEORGE TUCKER: ... but I was like walkin' away, but I wasn't out of the park yet.

DET. LEWIS: So, it'd be fair to say then the reason you didn't want to call to give a statement is you don't wanna be involved?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, I didn't want to be involved in the whole situation.

DET. LEWIS: Even after you found out the officer had been shot and critically injured?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, but I knew like Kyle was there. I knew I was gonna have to give my story. I already knew that.

DET. MACKEY: Have you heard anything about uh... anything being hidden?

GEORGE TUCKER: Hidden?

DET. MACKEY: (inaudible) us not to find for evidence about all this stuff?

GEORGE TUCKER: What do you mean?

DET. MACKEY: Like anything from clothing to uh... guns, knives, have you heard anything...

GEORGE TUCKER: I ain't heard nothin'.

DET. MACKEY: ... since all this happened?

GEORGE TUCKER: Nah, 'cause like at... the whole time we like sittin' there I'm like on the phone, so I'm not really like with any conversation. I'm on the phone like tryin' to get a ride.

DET. LEWIS: Why are you tryin' to get a ride?

GEORGE TUCKER: 'Cause my friend... that's why I told you I was um... gonna go see, she wasn't answerin' the phone. So, I really wasn't tryin' to stay on that side. I was really tryin' to go home.

DET. LEWIS: And who else did you call? Was it just your dad...

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, (inaudible) dad.

DET. LEWIS: ... you... you called other people?

GEORGE TUCKER: I just called my dad.

DET. LEWIS: Okay.

GEORGE TUCKER: Because I knew my mom (inaudible) gonna get me because it was like kind of late and she pregnant.

DET. LEWIS: Um-hum.

GEORGE TUCKER: So, I knew she wasn't gonna get out of the bed, she probably was asleep.

DET. LEWIS: (inaudible).

DET. MACKEY: Is there anybody else that was there that we don't know about...

GEORGE TUCKER: No sir.

DET. MACKEY: ... any (inaudible) this?

GEORGE TUCKER: I was (inaudible) people.

DET. LEWIS: Does Dominique know about this?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, he called me this morning, he asked me what happened.

DET. LEWIS: Did you tell 'em? Did you tell him the true story?

GEORGE TUCKER: I didn't tell 'em.

DET. LEWIS: You didn't tell 'em? Who else, other than us, know what you know?

GEORGE TUCKER: Well, Anfernee.

DET. LEWIS: Okay. Does Kyle know?

GEORGE TUCKER: Um-um.

DET. LEWIS: Not sure?

GEORGE TUCKER: No ma'am.

DET. LEWIS: Who else have you talked to about it?

GEORGE TUCKER: (inaudible) my dad and Anfernee dad.

DET. LEWIS: What's Anfernee's na... dad's name?

GEORGE TUCKER: M.L.

DET. LEWIS: M.L.?

GEORGE TUCKER: Um-hum, (M.L.).

DET. LEWIS: Who is that?

GEORGE TUCKER: That's his dad.

DET. LEWIS: What's his last name?

GEORGE TUCKER: Oh, I don't know his last name.

DET. LEWIS: Where's he live?

GEORGE TUCKER: He live with um... in the same house in Parker Street.

DET. LEWIS: You don't know where at on Parker Street?

GEORGE TUCKER: I know where it is, but I don't know the address.

DET. LEWIS: Is it near MLK or near the park?

GEORGE TUCKER: It's like... alright, the lake is right here, it's like Skate World's right here and Parker Street, you come down, and it's like some apartments right here.

DET. LEWIS: Near Gilmore?

GEORGE TUCKER: On the left side... Gilmore?

DET. LEWIS: Gilmore Avenue?

GEORGE TUCKER: Nah, it's not...

DET. LEWIS: Over there?

GEORGE TUCKER: ... it's not that far up. It's like comin' towards like the lake.

DET. MACKEY: Okay, so it's goin' back to the shorter road...

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. MACKEY: ... of E. Parker towards the lake?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. MACKEY: It's some duplexes on the right?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, it's like some apartments hooked together like...

DET. LEWIS: Um-hum.

GEORGE TUCKER: ... one side, one side, like...

DET. LEWIS: Okay.

DET. MACKEY: If you're goin' towards it from the skatin' rink, on Parker, is it on the left or right?

GEORGE TUCKER: From the skatin' rink? What skatin' rink?

DET. MACKEY: The skating rink you were...

DET. LEWIS: Skate World.

DET. MACKEY: ... talkin' about, Skate World.

GEORGE TUCKER: Oh yeah, like Parker like... the skatin' rink right here, like down... it's like a cross (inaudible) like a four way section. Skate... the skatin' rink right here, like you come down Parker like this way.

DET. MACKEY: Uh-huh.

GEORGE TUCKER: Then, it's like on the right side, like soon as you get to like... to the stop sign right here. It's like close to the stop sign.

DET. MACKEY: Yeah, little duplexes there.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

GEORGE TUCKER: Little red house is.

DET. LEWIS: Yeah, it's like... there's... this is a four lane highway here.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, like... uh... from... from where I'm comin'...

DET. LEWIS: Skate World...

GEORGE TUCKER: ... like Skate World... well, you did it like different.

DET. LEWIS: Parker, and this is Lake Parker. Skate World's here, are you talkin' about the duplexes here and here?

GEORGE TUCKER: (inaudible) alright. You did it like different. Well, you did it right, it's like comin' down this way. The duplexes are like down here.

DET. LEWIS: Because this is um... E&W right over here, you know what I'm talkin' about? And a graveyard.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, the graveyard is like down this road.

DET. LEWIS: And then...

DET. MACKEY: Well, try to picture it with um...

GEORGE TUCKER: Like she did it... she did it kind of different.

DET. MACKEY: Well, picture yourself...

DET. LEWIS: That's a four way intersection.

DET. MACKEY: Picture yourself headin' down towards the boulevard.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. MACKEY: Okay?

DET. LEWIS: Yeah, here's um... Memorial.

DET. MACKEY: Skate World's on your right. Before you get to Skate World there's Parker. You're gonna take a right on Parker and head towards Lake Parker, right?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, you gonna take a left on Parker.

DET. MACKEY: Eh...

DET. LEWIS: Is it on this side...

GEORGE TUCKER: It's like...

DET. LEWIS: ... or this side?

GEORGE TUCKER: I... it's like...

DET. LEWIS: Here's Memorial...

GEORGE TUCKER: ... Lake Parker is like right here. It's like coming towards Lake Parker.

DET. LEWIS: Here's the overpass.

GEORGE TUCKER: But it's not like Lake Parker is back here. It's like Parker Street right here.

DET. MACKEY: Um-hum.

GEORGE TUCKER: Like comin' towards Lake Parker. The way you did it, it's like confusing me the way you did it.

DET. MACKEY: Well, why don't we give you a pen and you try to do it.

GEORGE TUCKER: Alright, I could do it.

DET. MACKEY: How about... how about that'll work. What kind of car does M.L. drive?

GEORGE TUCKER: Uh... it's like... I don't know what kind of car, it's like an old car, like a black... black little car.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

DET. LEWIS: Um... would that be correct?

DET. MACKEY: Yes.

GEORGE TUCKER: This like Parker Street comin' from like... alright Save-A-Lot like this way. Save-A-Lot's like this way and like Parker Street keep comin' down like you keep straight, but Skate World's like on this side. Skate World like on this side, but you like go through the... through the light. Skate World like... it's not... it's not really on this side. It's like down like this road. Down this road.

DET. MACKEY: So, like and then the BBQ place and the boulevard's that way too, right?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

GEORGE TUCKER: And like if you keep down this road like if you get...

DET. MACKEY: You're gonna hit the boulevard.

GEORGE TUCKER: ... (inaudible) down this road. Yeah, you're gonna hit Memorial Blvd.

DET. LEWIS: Um-hum.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

GEORGE TUCKER: And it's gonna (inaudible – both speaking
at once)...

DET. LEWIS: So, it's up here?

GEORGE TUCKER: So, it's like you keep through the um...

DET. LEWIS: Yeah.

GEORGE TUCKER: ... keep through the keep and you keep
goin' down. It's gonna be duplexes on the right.

DET. LEWIS: Yeah, okay.

DET. MACKEY: Right at the stop sign?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

DET. LEWIS: Alright.

DET. MACKEY: Okay.

DET. LEWIS: You have anything Det. Mackey, right now?

DET. MACKEY: Um... your dad, the phone number you called,
is that a cell phone or a house phone?

GEORGE TUCKER: Which number?

DET. MACKEY: When you were tryin' to get a hold of your dad?

GEORGE TUCKER: Oh yeah, it was a cell phone.

DET. MACKEY: On his cell phone?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. MACKEY: He have it through the same busi... uh... phone service as you, Metro?

GEORGE TUCKER: Nah, I think he have Sprint.

DET. MACKEY: Oh, okay. Alright, uh... no, no further. Everything you told us has been voluntary?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yes sir.

DET. MACKEY: Have you been threatened in any way?

GEORGE TUCKER: No sir.

DET. MACKEY: Coerced, promised anything?

GEORGE TUCKER: No sir.

DET. MACKEY: Is there anything else you need to tell us that you haven't told us right now? I mean this is your chance. You need to really think. We may not have asked everything that... that you know about. I'm askin' you, if there's somethin' you know, you need to tell us about, just like what happened tonight. You didn't call 911, you didn't call us. I mean how many hours is it later that you're here? We're glad you're here, but I'm sayin', is there anything else you need to tell us? Because right now, you need to do it.

GEORGE TUCKER: (inaudible) I think I told y'all everything though, like everything that I seen, in my eye. Told you... really told y'all everything.

DET. LEWIS: Well, let me ask you this, you... you say it and then you backtrack. Is there any doubt in your mind, that that officer was shot by anybody else, other than Kyle?

GEORGE TUCKER: No.

DET. LEWIS: He's the man?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah. 'Cause I know it couldn't have been my cousin because my cousin was gettin' searched. How can you like pull out a gun? That was the only other person like close.

DET. LEWIS: You're a smart guy, you hear a gunshot, you turn, you see (inaudible) motion...

GEORGE TUCKER: It's comin' from like right behind me.

DET. LEWIS: You see a motion of an arm and a guy holdin' the gun and the motion of the arm...

GEORGE TUCKER: Like goin' down...

DET. LEWIS: ... goin' down.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, like he like puttin' it back in his pocket or somethin' like that.

DET. LEWIS: Well, (inaudible) reasonable person would say that person just shot somebody.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. LEWIS: By hearin' it...

DET. MACKEY: (inaudible)...

DET. LEWIS: ... and seein' it at that very quick of a second, like you said. It didn't take...

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. LEWIS: ... very (inaudible)... it happened so quick.

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah.

DET. LEWIS: He couldn't have passed that gun off to somebody else?

GEORGE TUCKER: Nah.

DET. LEWIS: Okay.

DET. MACKEY: And you just heard the one shot, right?

GEORGE TUCKER: Yeah, I only heard one shot.

DET. MACKEY: Okay. We're... of course I stepped out for a few minutes, but was there anything...

DET. LEWIS: Yeah, I got to get with 'em on that um...

DET. MACKEY: Okay, and then the jacket I guess...

DET. LEWIS: Yeah.

DET. MACKEY: ... is the... any clothes is any concern.

DET. LEWIS: Yeah.

DET. MACKEY: You know?

DET. LEWIS: We'll go ahead and conclude the interview and it's 12:17 PM.

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Recorded Statement:	Ofc. Heather Freeman (#244)
Offense:	Attempted 1 st Degree Murder
Event #:	2011-24393
Event Location:	2200 Crystal Gove
Case Agent:	Det. Russell Hurley

DET. HURLEY: This is a taped statement in reference to an officer involved shooting uh... case number 2011-24393. Uh... today's date is 12/18/2011. The time the officer went out was 2211. The address is 22 Crystal Gove Lane. Present is the speaker Det. Russell Hurley. Also present Det. Brad Grice and we're gonna be interviewin' Heather Freeman and we're doin' this taped statement on uh... Crystal Grove Drive in my unmarked police vehicle. Okay, swear or affirm the statement you're about to give to be the truth to the best of your knowledge?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: I do.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, state your name for the record.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Officer Heather Freeman.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, Heather.

(Police radio in background)

DET. HURLEY: Turn that off so we don't...

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: (inaudible).

DET. HURLEY: ... get it in the background. Um... I know we already went over this one time off tape, but let's go ahead and go over it again.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Um... at 2211 hours Officer Crispin uh... advised that he was out with three 13P subjects at the park on Crystal Grove um... I was checking for burglaries over near Florida Southern College off of Ingraham. As soon as he checked out with them I immediately turned around and started heading towards Crystal Gove as a backup unit. I responded normal um... by the time that I got here I parked directly in front of his car, which was parked in front of the park. I got out of my vehicle. I didn't see him. I looked left and right in the park, I didn't see anybody in the park. I looked in his car. I didn't see him sitting in his car. So, I put my hand on my microphone. I was about to key up to ask 'em where he was at and as soon as I came around the tree that was right in front of me I saw him laying on the ground, face up, um... in front of the park place that... that was in the middle of the park. My first instinct was that he was messing with me uh... because officers play pranks on each other out here. So, I yelled to him, "Crispin, what are you doin'?" And he didn't move. Um... I could see something on his face, on his right cheek. So, I shined my light on 'em and I noticed it was red and as I approached from the angle of his head I saw the top of his head had been blown out. So, I immediately drew my weapon and I called for EMS and backup units to respond and I took cover behind the tree that was closest to him, uh... because I didn't know if anybody was hiding, waiting for a backup unit. Um... I didn't see anybody in the park. I never saw anybody running from the park. I never saw anyone. Um... the first unit that arrived on scene was Officer Richburg and his trainee. So, as he approached me, I told him um... I think Officer Crispin is dead and #111 ran over to him, Officer Richburg and um... he started saying he was signal 7 on the radio and calling for everybody to call out, which I had already let them know um... we then got down and started rippin' off his vest and his shirt. Officer Carli came up then and he also started helpin' out. We began to do chest compressions. Officer Carli started first. Then, I relieved Officer Carli and Officer Richburg was doin' mouth to mouth uh... with a shield and I was watching and every time I would do a compression on his chest I was watching the blood come out of his mouth quite heavily and also the top of his head

simultaneously. Um... we continued to work 'em uh... alternating until EMS arrived and they took over.

DET. HURLEY: Okay. Just for clar... clarification. There was um... you said there's initiative out here, they want you to come out here?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Right, um... they're askin' us to do an F.I. blitz because golf zone is getting hit with burglaries so heavily. I had been out here probably a combined two hours before him uh... on and off. I mean I would leave and come back and uh... there was nobody out, anywhere. Um... I'd been up and down these streets probably twelve times and I couldn't find anybody in any of these... these roads, so I left, and that's why I headed towards Florida Southern because that's another area we're getting hit heavily now. Um... and literally by the time I left here, it was driving time from here to Florida Southern he checked out.

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: So, um... they weren't out here when I drove through that first time. They must have just come out.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, how about previous nights. Has anybody been out here that you recall?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Um... I hadn't noticed anybody in the park lately because it's been cold. There hasn't been a lot of foot traffic out anywhere um... I've not been able to stop anybody out here in the park um... I haven't heard any of us checkin' out with anybody in the park and recently um... so I don't have any...

DET. HURLEY: Who works this zone?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: I do.

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: I do and Officer Ivancevich #164 does.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, and just... do you know the name of that park?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Crystal Grove Park.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, and just for the tape's purpose, where you're talkin' about where he parked and you parked is like the northwest corner of the park...

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Correct.

DET. HURLEY: ... by the fence?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Correct.

DET. HURLEY: And... and there's a playground set right inside the fence?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Correct, it's um... probably a good maybe twenty to twenty-five feet from the fence line. There's a... a play set and a uh... like a fake grass, you know rubber grass type area, and uh... he was to the south of that play ground and also the grass...

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: ... rubber grass.

DET. HURLEY: Alright, and how is... is it lit out there okay or not so good?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: It's poorly lit.

DET. HURLEY: Poorly lit.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: There's ambient light from the apartment area over there, but it's not well lit.

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Which would be why I couldn't see 'em initially.

DET. HURLEY: Okay, you got anything, Brad?

DET. GRICE: Um... just to clarify, you had just left here and went over to Ingraham.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Correct.

DET. GRICE: And then he checks out?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Correct, he was not here when I was here.

DET. GRICE: Okay, now do you tell 'em that you're comin' or you just drive over this way?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: No, I keyed up on the radio and advised I was 10-51 from Ingraham.

DET. GRICE: Okay, okay, and you don't recall him comin' back on the radio at all after...

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: He never did, no.

DET. GRICE: ... (inaudible). Did he ever say that he was out with just three subjects or black males or white males or...?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: He just said um... three 13P's.

DET. GRICE: That's it?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: No description given, no anything.

DET. GRICE: Okay, and when you got here his car is actually... you... you pulled up to the front of his car?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Correct.

DET. GRICE: And there was no lights on inside?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: No.

DET. GRICE: No... no blue lights goin' or anything like that?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: No.

DET. GRICE: Matter of fact, you said his doors were locked, correct?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Correct.

DET. GRICE: And then, I don't think we covered this on tape, when EMS got here y'all actually are the ones that removed his gun and gun belt?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Correct um... we mo... we removed, I and Officer Carli removed his shirt and his vest and um... we began chest compressions. EMS... when EMS got there and started working him I then removed his gun belt and his gun was still on it and his hood was still closed, everything was still intact.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Yes.

DET. GRICE: Okay, and flashlights layin' around anywhere?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: I have his flashlight. It was next to me and I picked it up um... because I didn't want to leave it out there. I should have left it out there, but I have it.

DET. GRICE: But it was next to him?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Correct.

DET. GRICE: Okay, and did ya notice any other injuries on 'em when you took his shirt and his vest off?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: There were none, no I could see his whole chest area. There was no...

DET. GRICE: So, he has a head injury?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Correct.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: And it looks like it went from his mouth up.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Or his face, you know, maybe chin, mouth. It's hard to tell because he was pourin' out so much blood where the entry point is, but it was definitely exit out the top.

DET. GRICE: Okay. I don't have anything at this point.

DET. HURLEY: You got anything you want to add that we forgot to ask that you thinks important?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: I know that um... we did not get any calls regarding shots fired until well after we were here. As a matter of fact I think he was already in the ambulance. So, there was quite a delay. There was never a shots fire call, you know, prior to my arrival. Um... but people did hear and I guess some saw subjects running um... so I don't know at what point prior to me getting here, that happened um...

DET. HURLEY: Okay.

DET. GRICE: Have y'all had any issues with anybody in particular out here?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: There's so many um... this is kind of a haven for the three percent we deal frequently with uh... there's a large amount out here, but nobody in particular, specifically more so than anyone else.

DET. GRICE: Nobody threatening the police or um... have any firearms on 'em recently or anything like that, that you can think of? Any calls like that?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Not here um... you know, we've... we've been pullin' guns off people quite frequently lately, but not so much here. Um... like I said, there hasn't been a whole lot of people out to make contact with its... when it's cold there's not many out.

DET. GRICE: Okay.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: Um... so nobody that comes to mind immediately.

DET. GRICE: Okay. That's all Russ.

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: We do have a lot of PCI checks out here though. So, there's a lot of juvenile probationers that... I mean, we almost always have one out here.

DET. HURLEY: Anything else?

OFC. HEATHER FREEMAN: No sir.

DET. HURLEY: Alright, this concludes this taped statement. The time now is 12:14 AM.

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